

古谷実

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*Die.*

*Every  
one  
die.*

# 世に

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古谷 実  
Minoru Furuya





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# Chapter 1

## One Drop in the Big Sea



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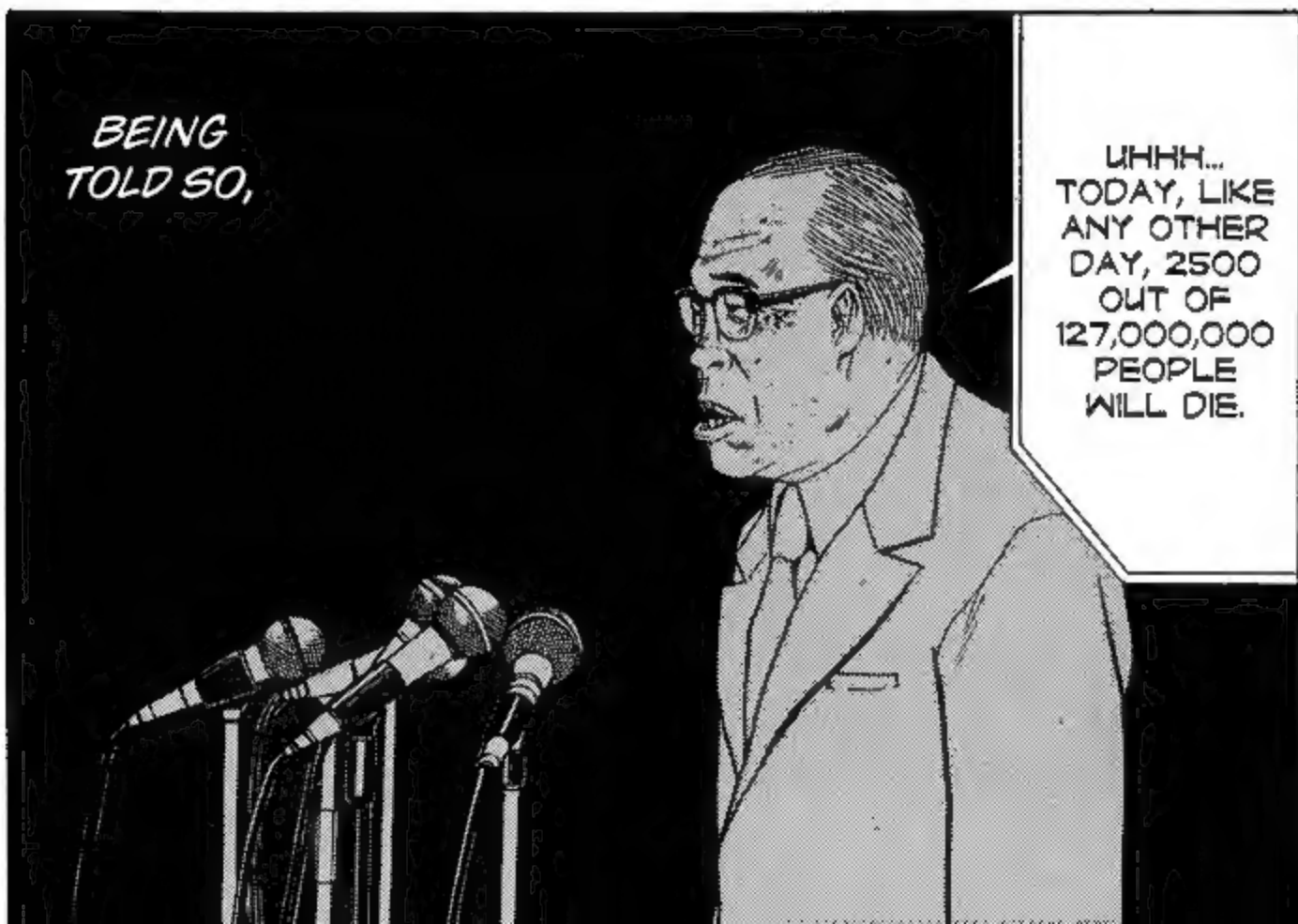
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IN JAPAN, THE  
PRECIOUS LIVES  
OF ABOUT 2500  
PEOPLE ARE LOST  
ON AVERAGE  
EACH DAY DUE TO  
VARIOUS  
REASONS SUCH  
AS ILLNESSES  
AND ACCIDENTS.

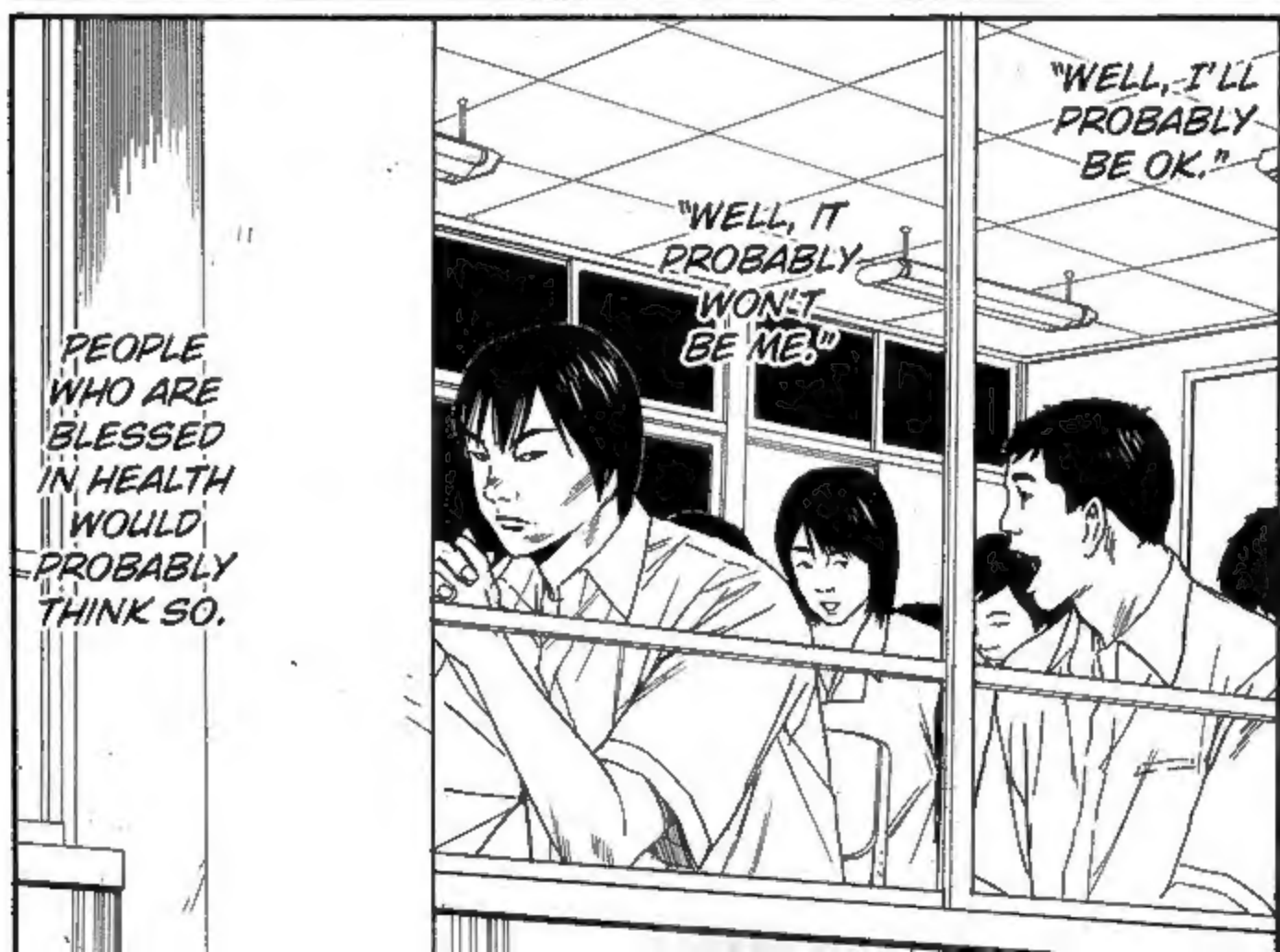
BEING  
TOLD SO,

UHHH...  
TODAY, LIKE  
ANY OTHER  
DAY, 2500  
OUT OF  
127,000,000  
PEOPLE  
WILL DIE.





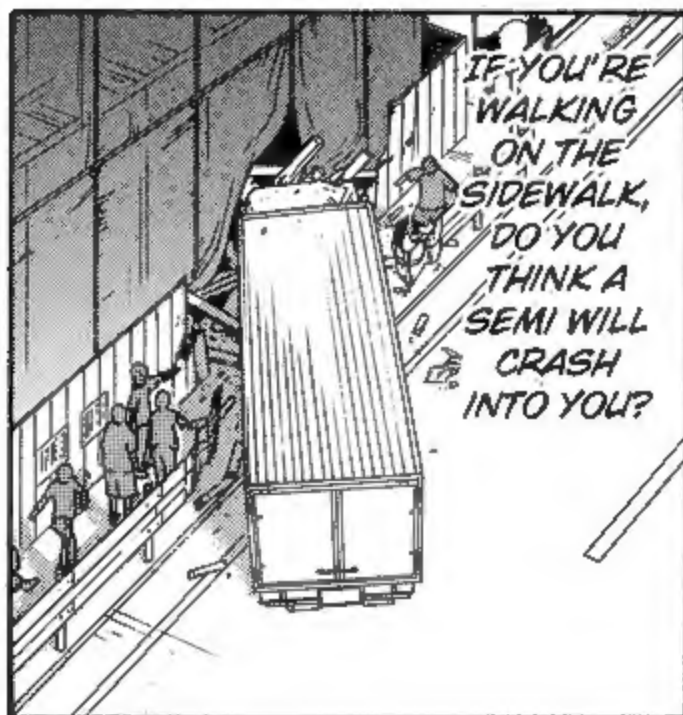
DO YOU  
THINK  
THAT YOU  
WILL DIE  
?



PEOPLE  
WHO ARE  
BLESSED  
IN HEALTH  
WOULD  
PROBABLY  
THINK SO.

"WELL, IT  
PROBABLY  
WON'T  
BE ME."

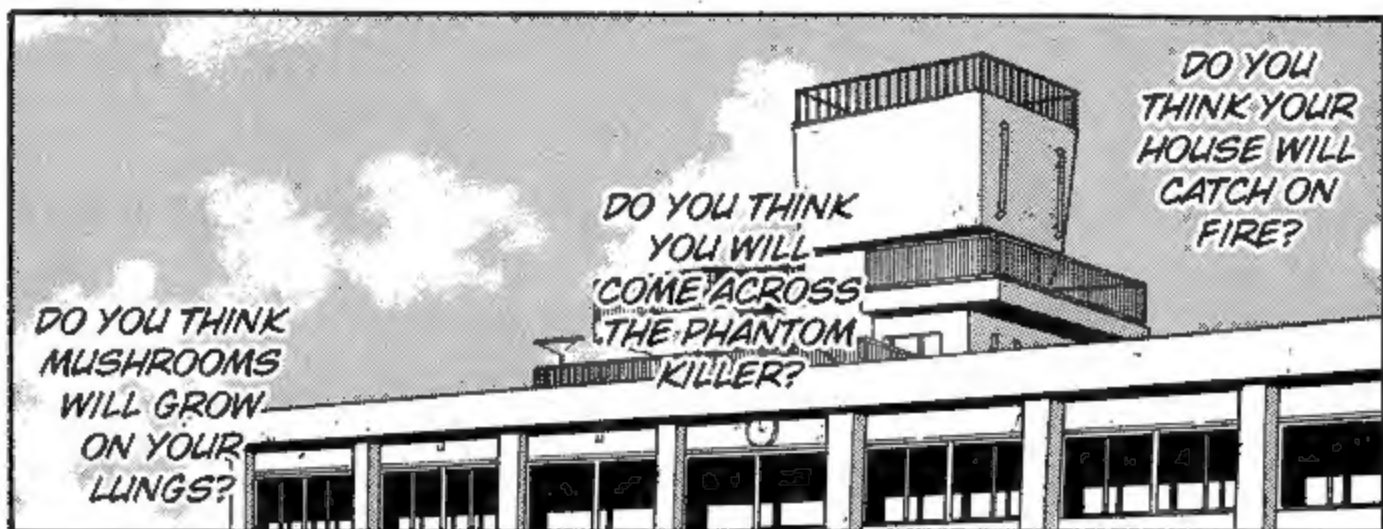
"WELL, I'LL  
PROBABLY  
BE OK."



IF YOU'RE  
WALKING  
ON THE  
SIDEWALK,  
DO YOU  
THINK A  
SEMI WILL  
CRASH  
INTO YOU?



DO YOU  
THINK THE  
PLANE YOU  
BOARD WILL  
FALL?



DO YOU THINK  
MUSHROOMS  
WILL GROW  
ON YOUR  
LUNGS?

DO YOU THINK  
YOU WILL  
COME ACROSS  
THE PHANTOM  
KILLER?

DO YOU  
THINK YOUR  
HOUSE WILL  
CATCH ON  
FIRE?



DO YOU THINK  
YOU WILL FIND  
300,000,000  
YEN IN THE  
FOREST?

DO YOU  
THINK YOU  
WILL WIN  
THE  
LOTTERY  
?

DO YOU  
THINK YOU  
HAVE SOME  
EXTRA-  
ORDINARY  
TALENT?



IT'S NOT  
JUST MIS-  
FORTUNES.  
FORTUNES  
TOO.



YES,  
THEY ARE  
"SPECIAL  
PEOPLE."

IN MY OPINION,  
THOSE PEOPLE  
ARE CHOSEN  
NOT JUST BY  
GOOD LUCK OR  
BAD LUCK BUT  
BY SOMETHING  
THAT GOVERNS  
THIS WORLD.



MOST PEOPLE  
FINISH THEIR  
LIVES WITHOUT  
MEETING AN  
EXTREME  
FORTUNE OR  
MISFORTUNE.

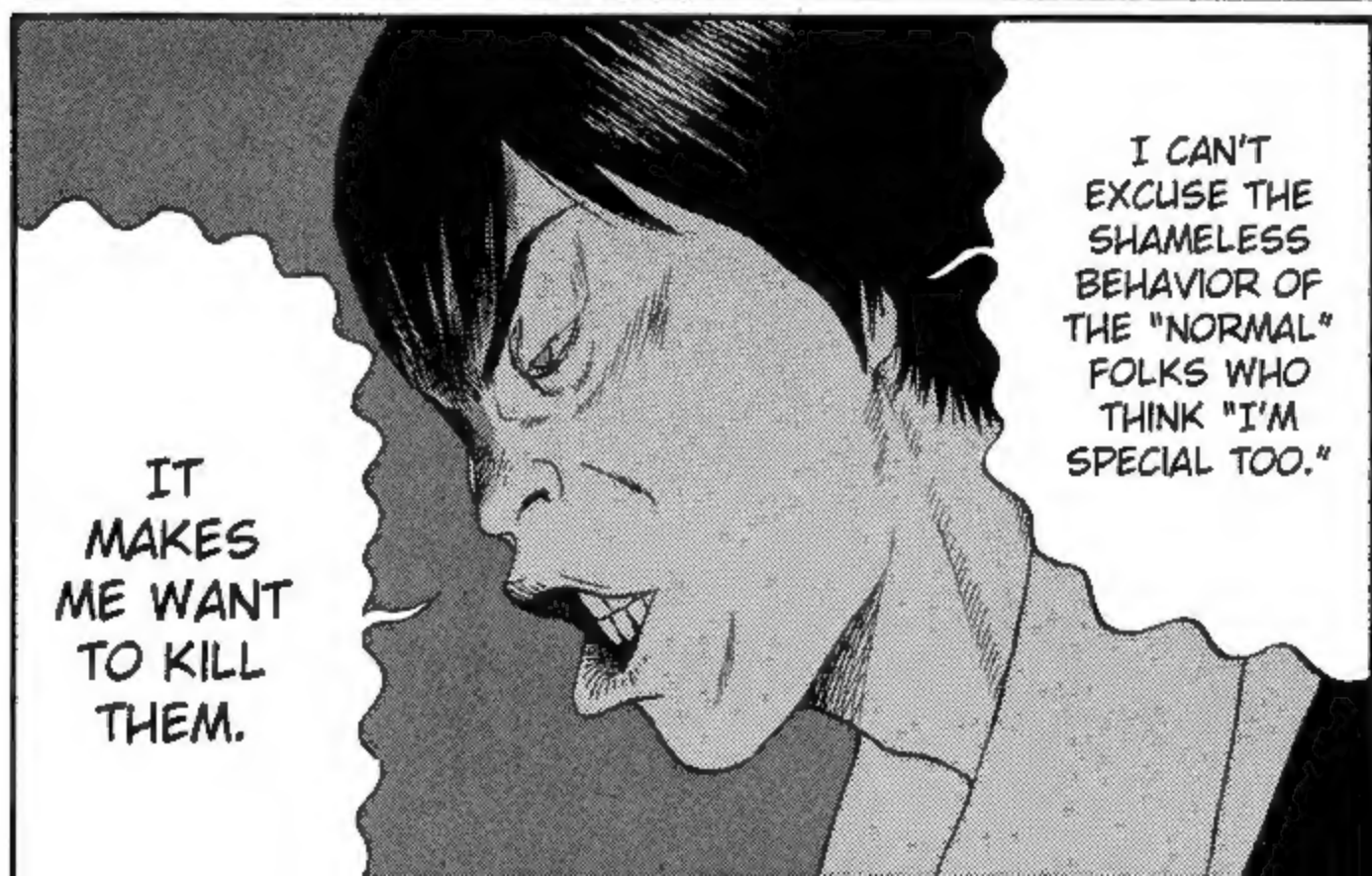
"NORMAL  
PEOPLE."

THOSE  
PEOPLE  
ARE  
EXTREMELY  
RARE.



IT  
MAKES  
ME WANT  
TO KILL  
THEM.

I CAN'T  
EXCUSE THE  
SHAMELESS  
BEHAVIOR OF  
THE "NORMAL"  
FOLKS WHO  
THINK "I'M  
SPECIAL TOO."



I  
THOUGHT  
SO.

I DON'T  
GET IT.

SHOZO...  
DO YOU  
UNDER-  
STAND  
WHAT I'M  
TRYING  
TO SAY  
?

...THAT'S  
THE  
STORY.

IN OTHER  
WORDS...  
DON'T  
MESS WITH  
NORMAL!  
NORMAL IS  
THE BEST  
!!

O  
O  
O  
O  
O  
H











I... I  
DIDN'T TELL  
ON YOU!!  
IT WASN'T  
ME!!

YOUUUU...  
WHY DID  
YOU TELL  
ON US!?  
HUH!?

YOU  
FOOL!  
THE  
ONLY  
ONE  
WHO  
WOULD  
DO IT  
IS YOU  
...!!



OI..OINK  
OINK  
OINK  
OINK...

APOLO-  
GIZE!  
APOLO-  
GIZE IN  
OINK-  
OINKSE  
!!

YOUUU...  
I'M SERI-  
OUSLY  
GOING  
TO KILL  
YOU!!



AKADA.

WHAT  
IS  
THIS  
?



OH  
!?

W  
H  
O  
A  
A  
A  
...!!



S-  
STOP!!  
JUST  
NOT  
THATTT  
...!!



HA  
HAHA  
IT'S  
UGLY...  
SO  
BAD!!  
SO  
BADD  
...!!

WOW  
LET ME  
SEE  
LET ME  
SEE!

WHOA  
WHAT  
IS THIS  
!?  
COULD  
IT BE A  
MANGA  
!?



M...  
M...  
M...  
M...  
M...



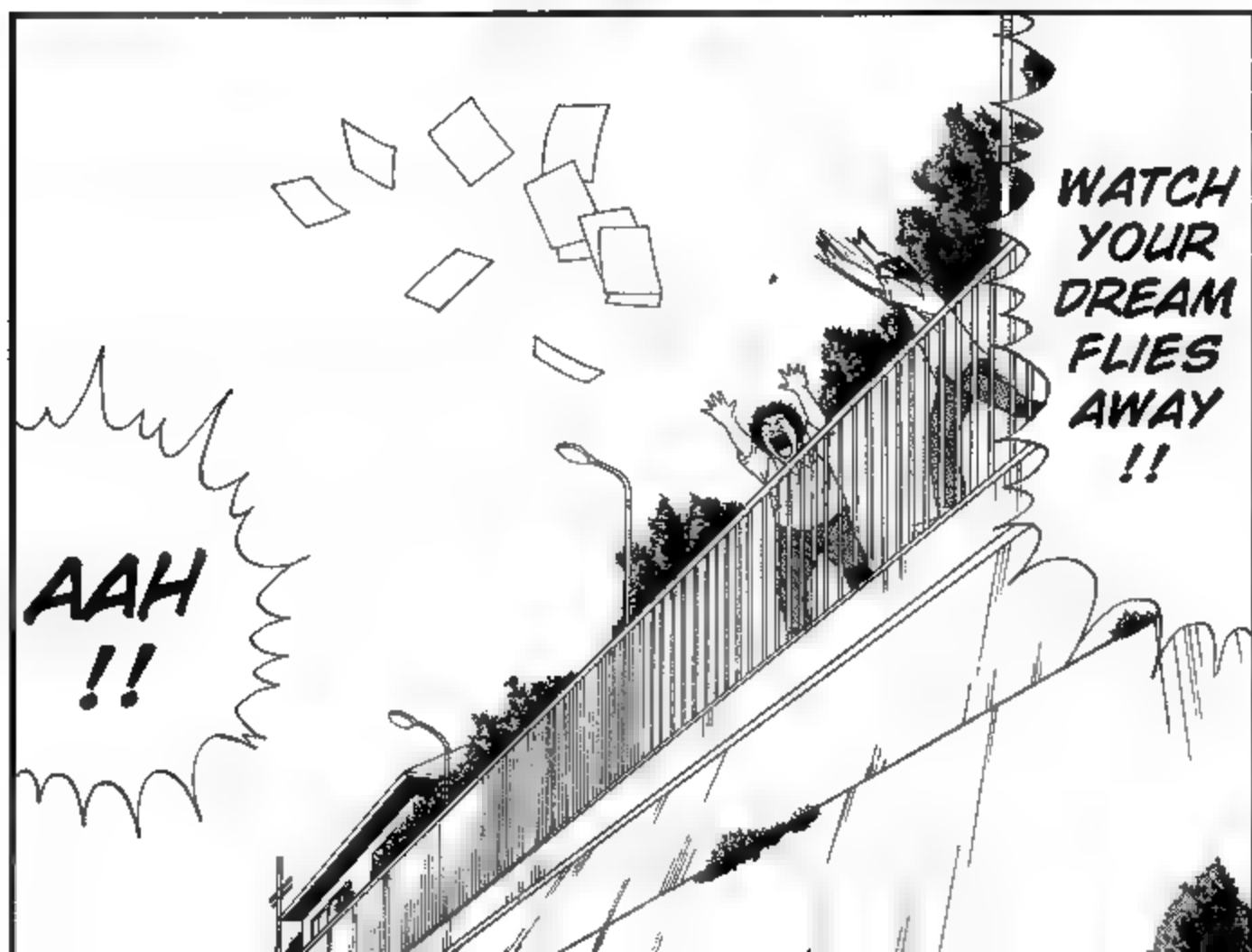
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HMP

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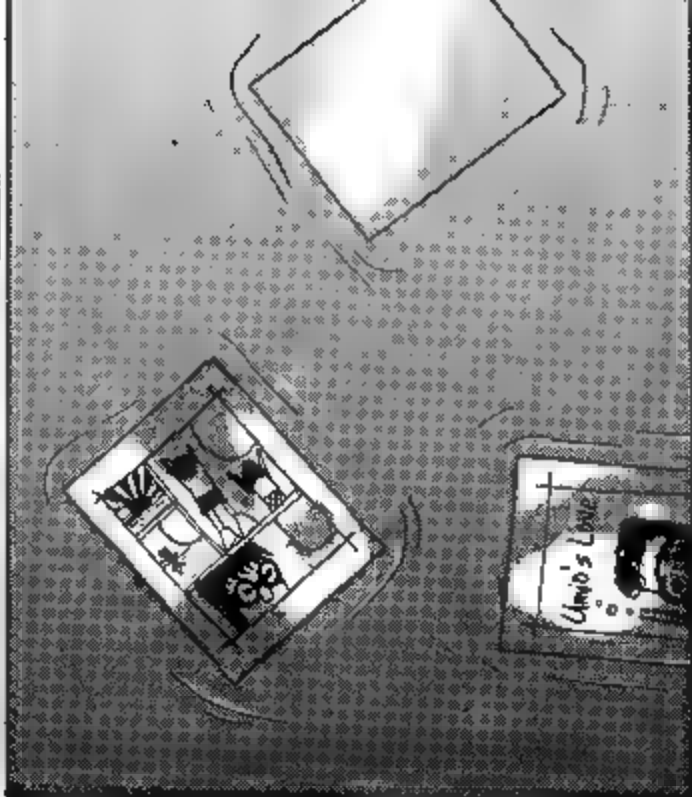
READY,  
ONE  
TWO  
ONE  
TWO...

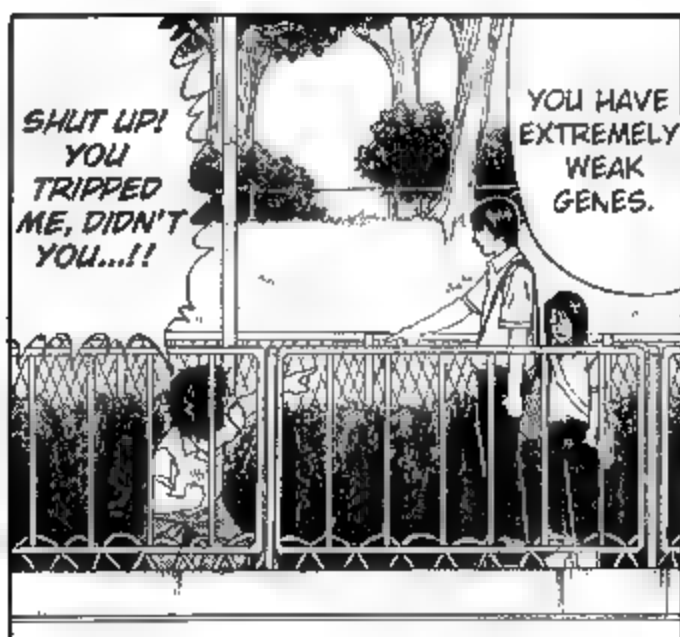


AAH  
!!

WATCH  
YOUR  
DREAM  
FLIES  
AWAY  
!!







SHUT UP!  
YOU  
TRIPPED  
ME, DIDN'T  
YOU...!!

YOU HAVE  
EXTREMELY  
WEAK  
GENES.



REALLY  
PITIFUL.



ENOUGH  
ALREADY  
!!  
LEAVE  
ME  
ALONE  
!!

ARE YOU  
GOING TO  
PICK IT  
UP?



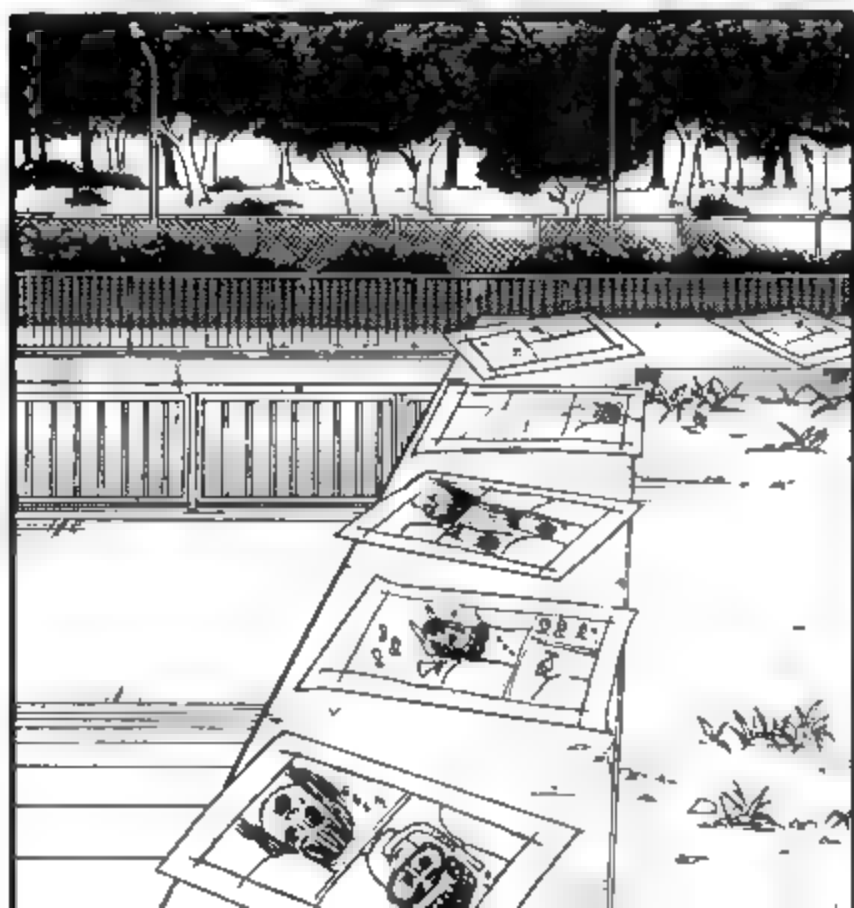
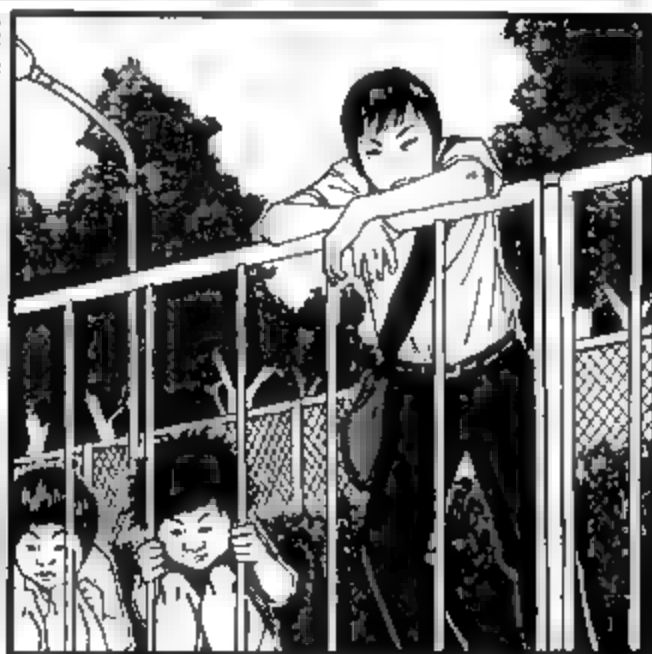
HUH  
!?

SHOULD  
I HELP  
PICK IT  
UP?



IT'S  
SOME-  
THING  
IMPOR-  
TANT,  
RIGHT  
?







.....  
YEAH.



...DID YOU  
DRAW ALL  
THESE  
YOUR-  
SELF?



.....  
YEAH.

SO YOU'RE  
GOING TO  
BECOME A  
MANGAKA  
IN THE  
FUTURE.



THAT'S  
MY  
DREAM.





**THEN  
DO YOU  
MEAN  
YOU  
HAVE  
THAT  
KIND OF  
TALENT  
!!?**

**IT  
DOESN'T  
LOOK  
LIKE IT  
!!**

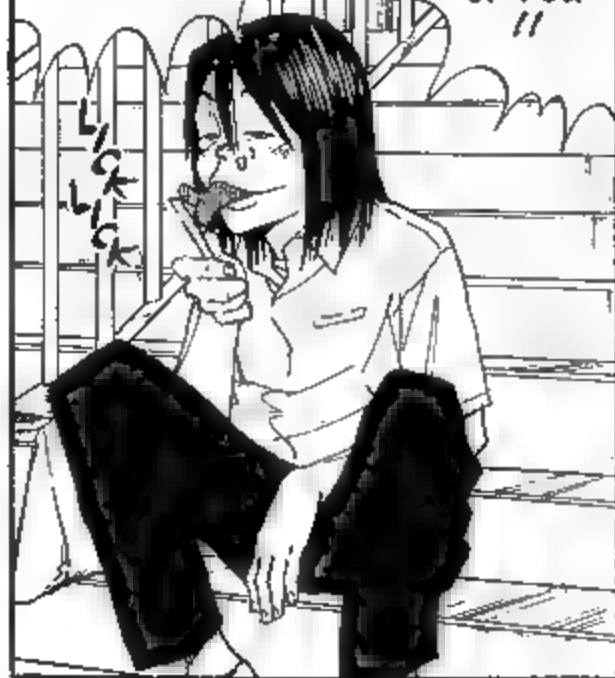
**YOU  
DON'T  
KNOW  
YOURSELF  
AND  
YOU'RE  
USELESS  
!!**

**WHAT  
IS FATE  
?!!  
I HATE  
IDIOTS  
LIKE  
YOU!!**

**DIE AL-  
READY!!  
DIE  
QUIETLY  
SO YOU  
DON'T  
DISTURB  
OTHER  
PEOPLE!!**

**WHAT IS  
THIS  
DRAWING!!  
HUHI? DID  
YOU HAVE  
SOME  
REASON  
THAT YOU  
HAD TO DRAW  
WITH YOUR  
PEN UP YOUR  
ASS!?!?**

**IT'S  
JUST A  
MISTAKE  
TO HAVE  
CONFI-  
DENCE  
WITHOUT  
ANY  
GROUNDS!!  
NO ONE IS  
GOING TO  
APPROVE  
OF YOU  
!!**







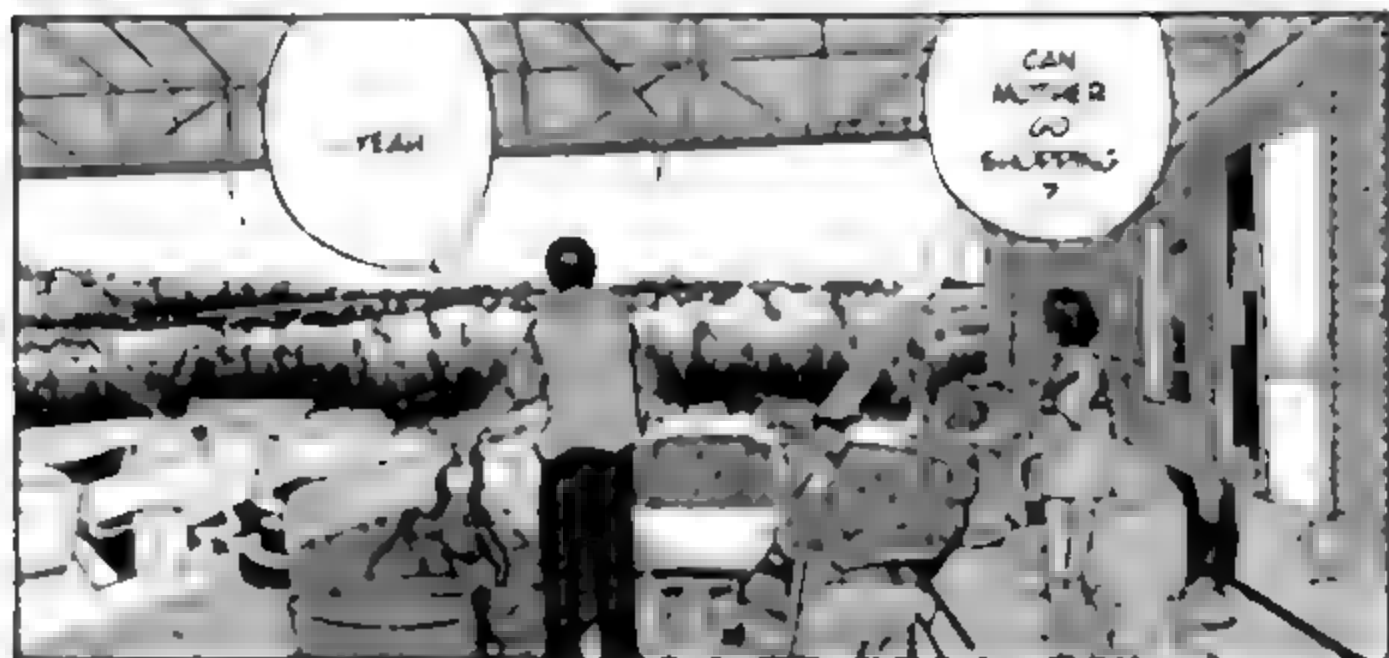












BULLS

...

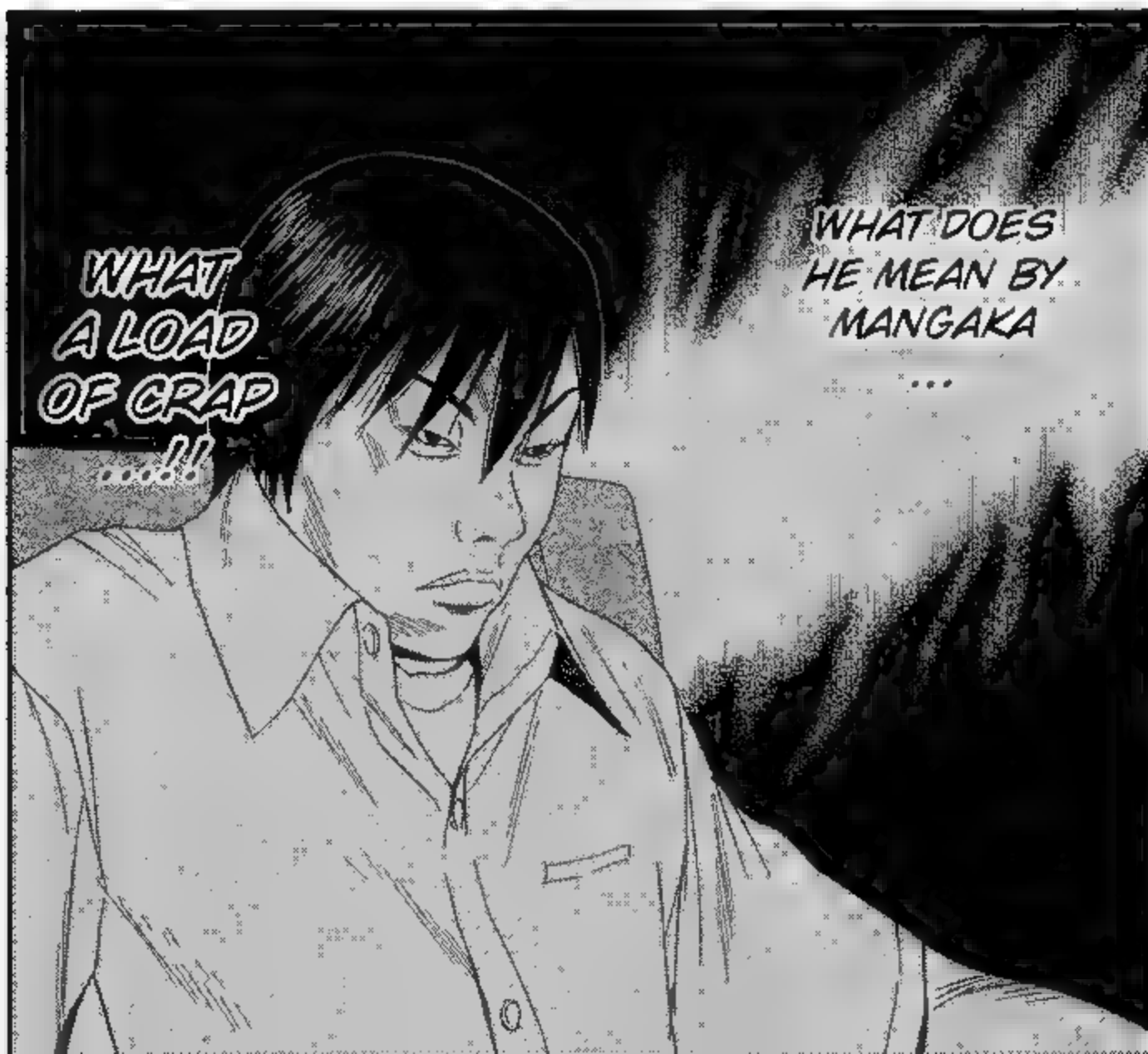


WHAT  
A LOAD  
OF CRAP

...!!

WHAT DOES  
HE MEAN BY  
MANGAKA

...







## Chapter 2 I Love Money

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**MONEY  
TREES  
!!**





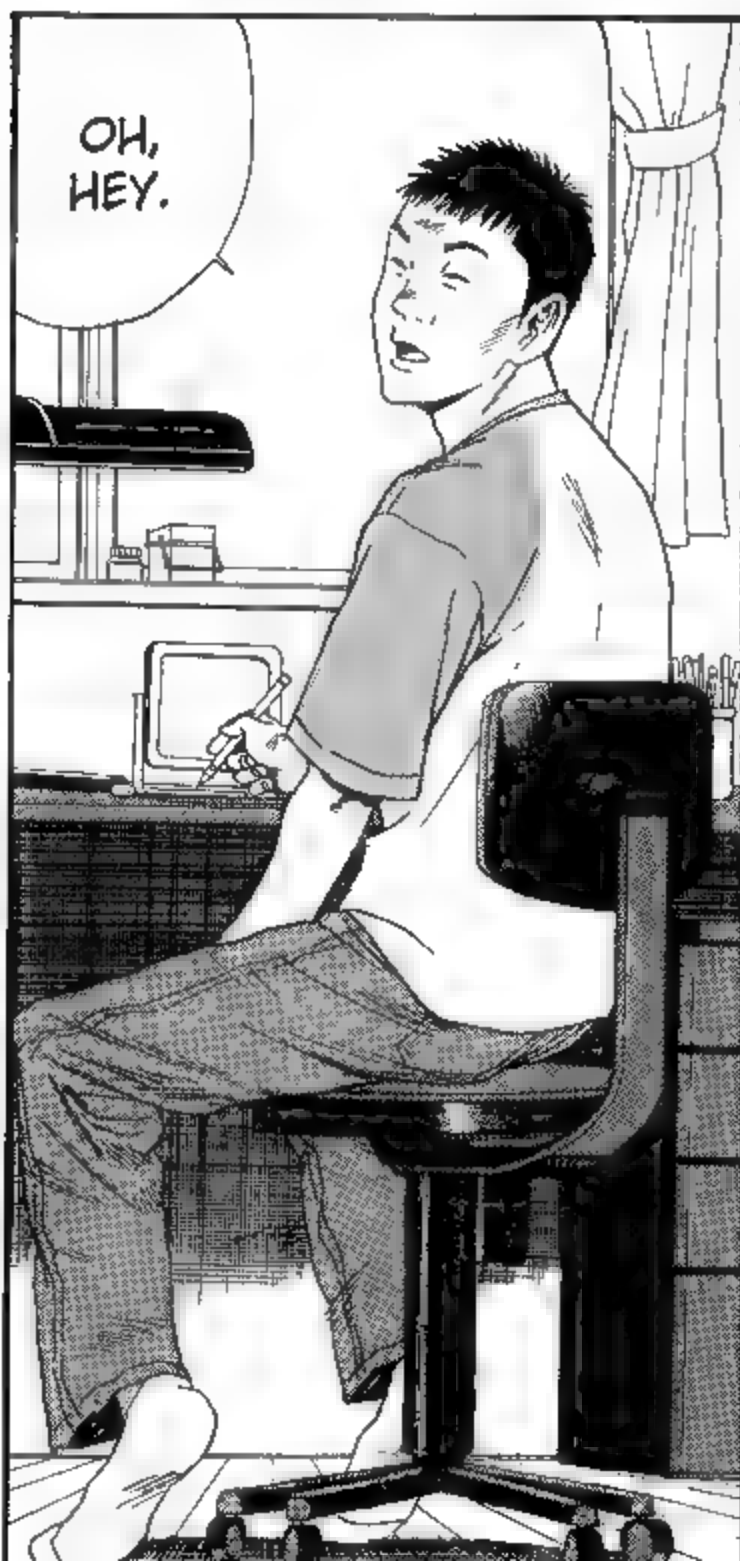
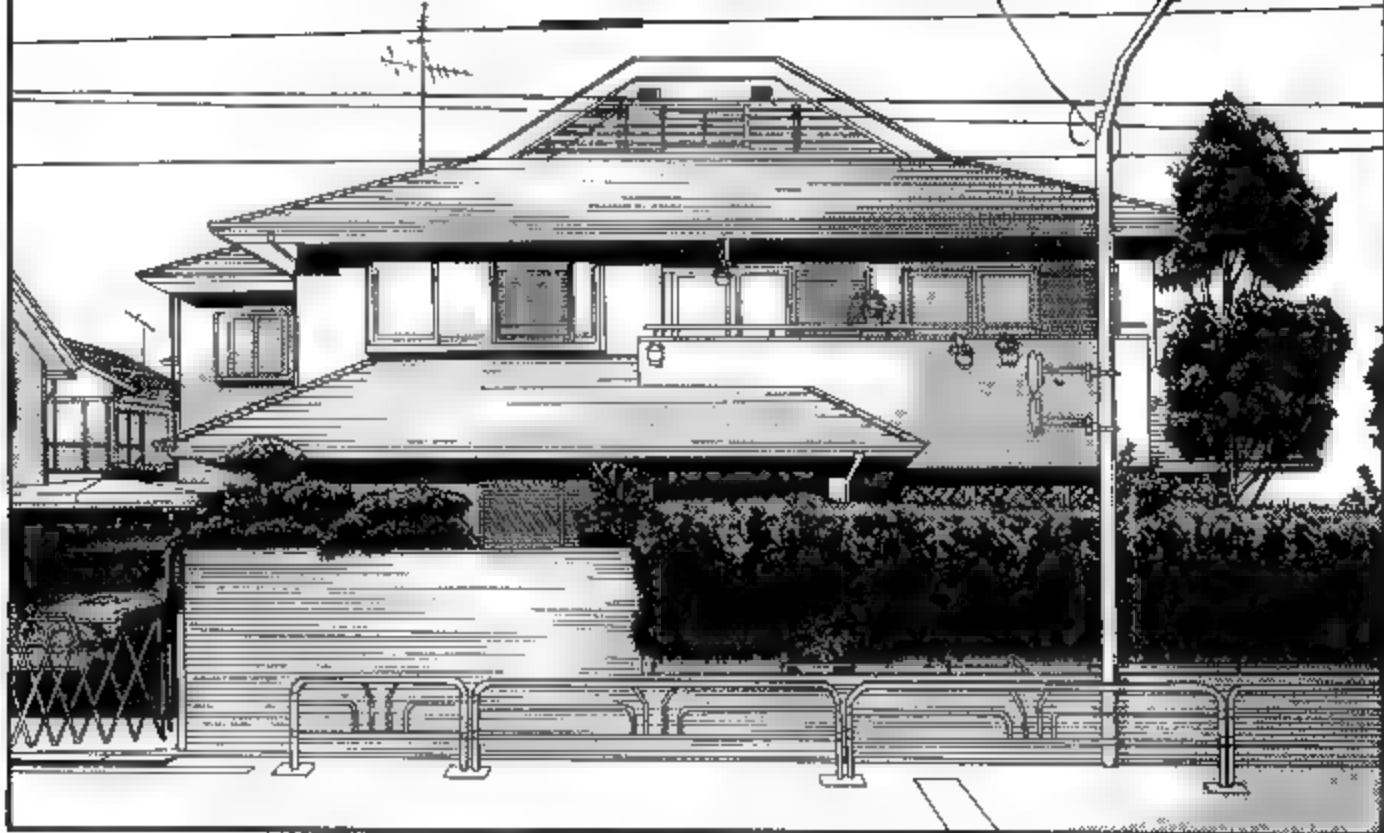
















REALLY RICH!!

YUP!  
I WANT  
TO GET  
REALLY,  
REALLY,  
REALLY,



HEY HEY HEY,  
WAIT A  
SECOND!  
DON'T TELL  
ME YOU CAME  
WITH ME  
BECAUSE YOU  
EQUATED  
"BECOMING  
A MANGAKA"  
WITH "GET-  
TING RICH"  
...!!



YUP!  
I WANT  
THAT  
MONEY  
TREE!!



YOU JUST  
WANT TO  
GET RICH  
?



...SORRY...  
I...DON'T  
AGREE WITH  
PEOPLE WHO  
THINK THAT  
MONEY IS  
EVERYTHING  
IN THIS  
WORLD.

....  
SORRY.

KII-CHAN  
ISN'T MAKING  
MANGA  
FOR MONEY!!  
HE PUTS IN  
PRACTICE  
EVERY DAY  
SO THAT HE  
CAN CREATE  
SOMETHING  
GOOD!!

MONEY?  
THAT'S LIKE  
SOMETHING  
A DIRTY OLD  
MAN WOULD  
SAY!!

Y, YOU  
IDIOT!!  
IT  
DOESN'T  
WORK  
LIKE  
THAT  
!!



**MONEY  
IS  
EVERY-  
THING  
!!!**



**IT'S  
ALL  
ABOUT  
MONEY  
!!**

**MONEY  
IS  
WHAT'S  
IMPOR-  
TANT!!  
MONEY  
MONEY  
MONEY  
!!**





**IT'S  
THE ONE  
AND  
ONLY  
MAGIC  
THAT  
EXISTS  
IN THIS  
WORLD  
!!**

**MONEY  
IS  
PAPER  
THAT  
BUYS  
YOU  
HAPPY-  
NESS  
!!**



**Y, YOU'RE  
STILL  
YOUNG,  
DON'T  
BE LIKE  
THAT!**

**TH,  
THAT'S  
NOT  
TRUE,  
YORINO!  
THERE  
ARE  
THINGS  
YOU  
CAN'T  
BUY WITH  
MONEY  
!!**



**UH, UH, UH,  
S-SALA-  
MANDERS,  
A-AND,  
EXOTIC  
ISLAND  
CATS!?**

**WHAT!?  
WHAT  
EXACTLY  
CAN'T  
YOU BUY  
WITH  
MONEY  
!?**



**MONEY  
!!**

**I  
WANT!!  
MIND-  
BOG-  
GLING  
AMOU-  
NTS  
OF!!**

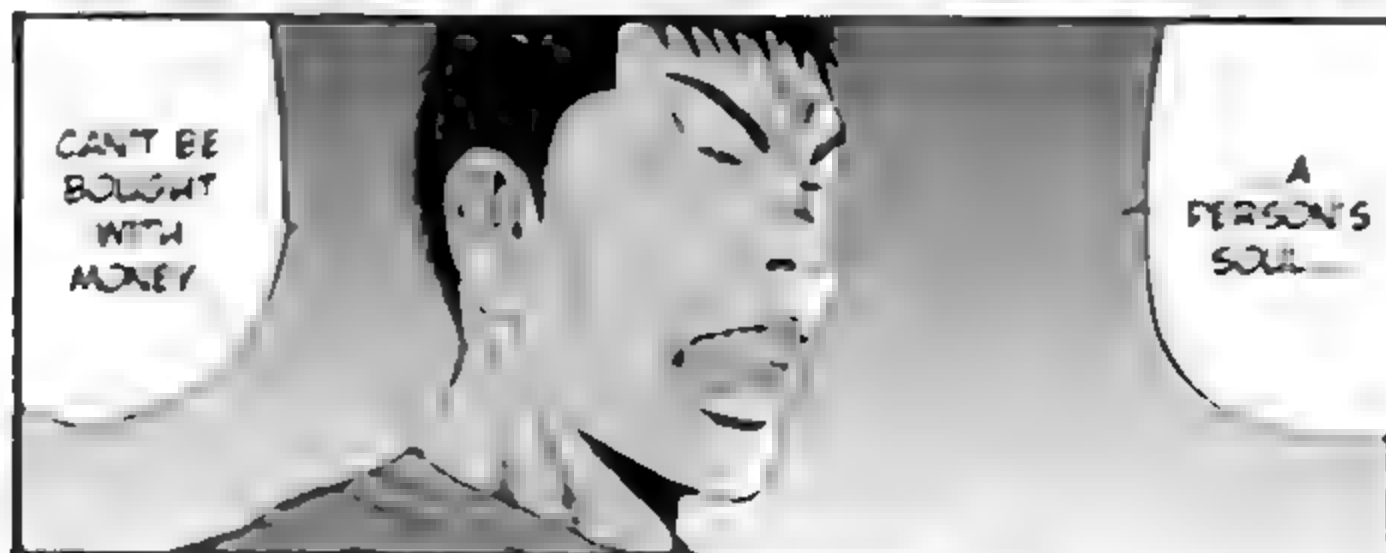


YOUR  
SOUL

HYAA  
!!



I  
DON'T  
WANT  
THEM  
!!



CAN'T BE  
BOUGHT  
WITH  
MONEY

A  
PERSON'S  
SOUL



SURE  
IT  
CAN.



HEY,  
WHAT  
ARE  
YOU  
DOING  
HERE  
!?



YOU CAN  
BUY A  
PERSON'S  
SOUL.



I COULD  
EASILY BUY  
YOUR  
PARENTS'  
SOULS,  
TOO.

IF I HAD  
MONEY,  
I COULD  
BUY YOUR  
SOUL, NO  
PROBLEM.



I CAN.

YOU  
CAN'T.





...THAT  
RIGHT  
NOW,  
I CAN'T  
BUY  
YOUR  
SOUL...

...OK,  
THEN  
LET'S  
JUST SAY,  
FOR THE  
SAKE OF  
ARGU-  
MENT  
...



YOU  
CAN'T.



AND THEN ONE  
DAY, YOU'LL  
LOOK BACK AT  
THIS DAY, SAY  
"I WAS YOUNG,"  
AND SELL YOUR  
SOUL. JUST  
LIKE THAT.

BEING  
AN ADULT  
IS HARD...  
ALL SORTS OF  
SHIT HAPPENS  
TO YOU JUST  
FROM TRYING  
TO LIVE YOUR  
LIFE...

BUT THINK  
ABOUT THE  
NEXT 20 OR  
30 YEARS...  
YOU'LL GET  
OLDER,  
BECOME AN  
ADULT...



EVER  
!

NO MATTER  
WHAT  
HAPPENS  
TO ME...  
I'LL NEVER  
SELL MY  
SOUL.









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## Chapter 3

### A Fine Young Man



WHY CAN'T I FORGIVE A  
YOUNG MAN  
WHO BELIEVES  
IN HIMSELF  
AND PURSUES  
HIS DREAMS?

WHY CAN'T I  
FORGIVE A  
YOUNG MAN



WHY CAN'T I  
FORGIVE A  
YOUNG MAN  
WHO BELIEVES  
IN HIMSELF  
AND PURSUES  
HIS DREAMS?




IS IT BECAUSE I  
DON'T HAVE ANY  
BIG ASPIRATIONS  
MYSELF, AND  
I'M STARTING TO  
FEEL ANXIETY  
AND JEALOUSY  
TOWARDS HIM?

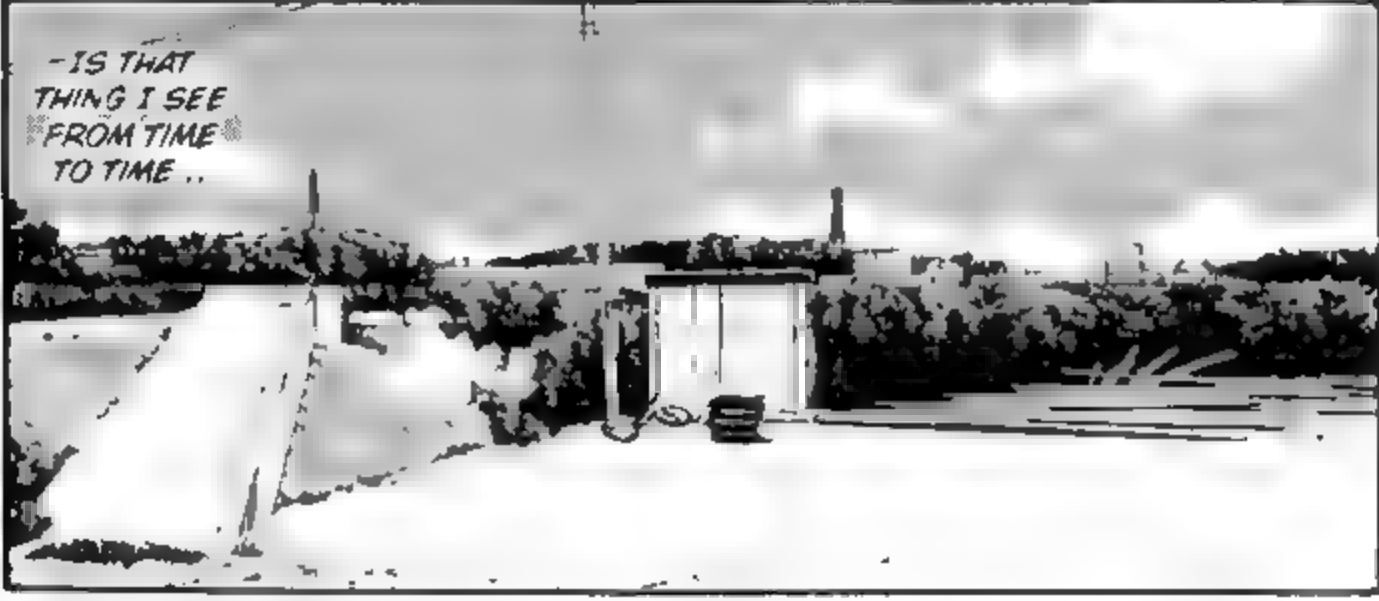
OF  
COURSE  
NOT.

IS IT BECAUSE  
THERE'S A TREND  
IN SOCIETY  
WHERE PEOPLE  
WHO PURSUE  
THEIR DREAMS  
ARE "GOOD" AND  
THOSE WHO  
DON'T "AREN'T"?

...DEFI-  
NITELY  
NOT.



MORE  
IMPORTANTLY  
WHAT



-IS THAT  
THING I SEE  
FROM TIME  
TO TIME ..



A character with a large, wide-eyed, and open-mouthed expression is peeking out from behind a dark door. The background shows a building and some foliage.

**WHAT  
THE HELL  
ARE YOU  
!?**

A character is seen from behind, looking out of a window. They are wearing a dark shirt and pants with a heart pattern. The window looks out onto a cityscape with buildings and a bridge.

**HEYYYYY,  
SLIMIDA  
!!**

A character is shown from the chest up, covering their face with both hands. They have a distressed or embarrassed expression. They are wearing a dark shirt with a white collar.

**I'M  
NORMAL!  
AN  
ORDINARY,  
WELL-  
ADJUSTED  
GUY IN  
JUNIOR  
HIGH!!**

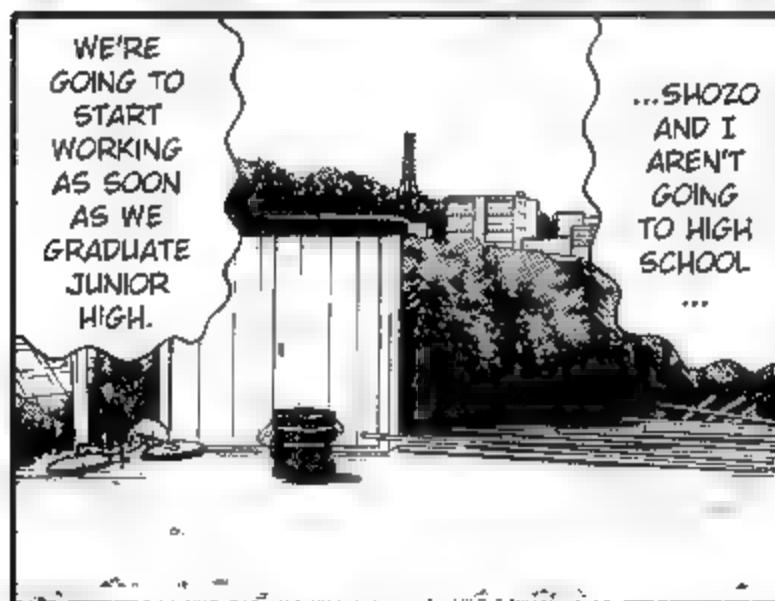
**NO! I'M NOT  
SEEING IT!!  
THAT'S...  
JUST AN  
ILLUSION,  
MY EYES  
PLAYING  
TRICKS ON  
ME!!**







...SO  
SUMIDA,  
HAVE YOU  
STARTED  
PREPARING  
FOR YOUR  
HIGH  
SCHOOL  
ENTRANCE  
EXAMS  
YET?



WE'RE  
GOING TO  
START  
WORKING  
AS SOON  
AS WE  
GRADUATE  
JUNIOR  
HIGH.

...SHOZO  
AND I  
AREN'T  
GOING  
TO HIGH  
SCHOOL  
...



NOPE.



THIS PLACE  
IS DECREPIT,  
BUT WE STILL  
GET ALL SORTS  
OF CUSTOMERS  
YEAR-ROUND...

... YOU  
CAN  
SCRATCH  
OUT A  
LIVING  
HERE.

PEOPLE OUT  
HERE FOR  
THE VIEW,  
COUPLES,  
ANGLERS  
...



...YOU'RE  
GOING TO  
TAKE OVER  
THE BOAT  
RENTAL  
SHOP...?

PRO-  
BABLY.



AND I'M  
SATISFIED  
WITH THAT.

THERE ISN'T  
ANY GREAT  
HAPPINESS  
~~HERE BUT~~  
THERE ARE  
PROBABLY NO  
DISASTERS  
EITHER.



PRO-  
BABLY  
FOR THE  
REST OF  
MY LIFE  
...

I'M  
GOING TO  
SIT HERE,  
RELAX AND  
RENT OUT  
BOATS.



...BUT  
YOU'RE STILL  
YOUNG,  
SLIMDA...  
AND YOU'LL  
PROBABLY  
FIND THINGS  
YOU WANT  
TO DO LATER  
ON IN LIFE.



LIHH, OF  
COURSE  
NOT!

WELL?  
DOES  
MY LIFE  
SOUND LIKE  
ABSOLUTE  
SHIT TO  
YOU?



?









.....I  
SEE...



...I  
DON'T  
KNOW.

...  
WHERE'D  
SHE GO  
?



...NO.

...WAS  
THAT  
YOUR  
DAD?

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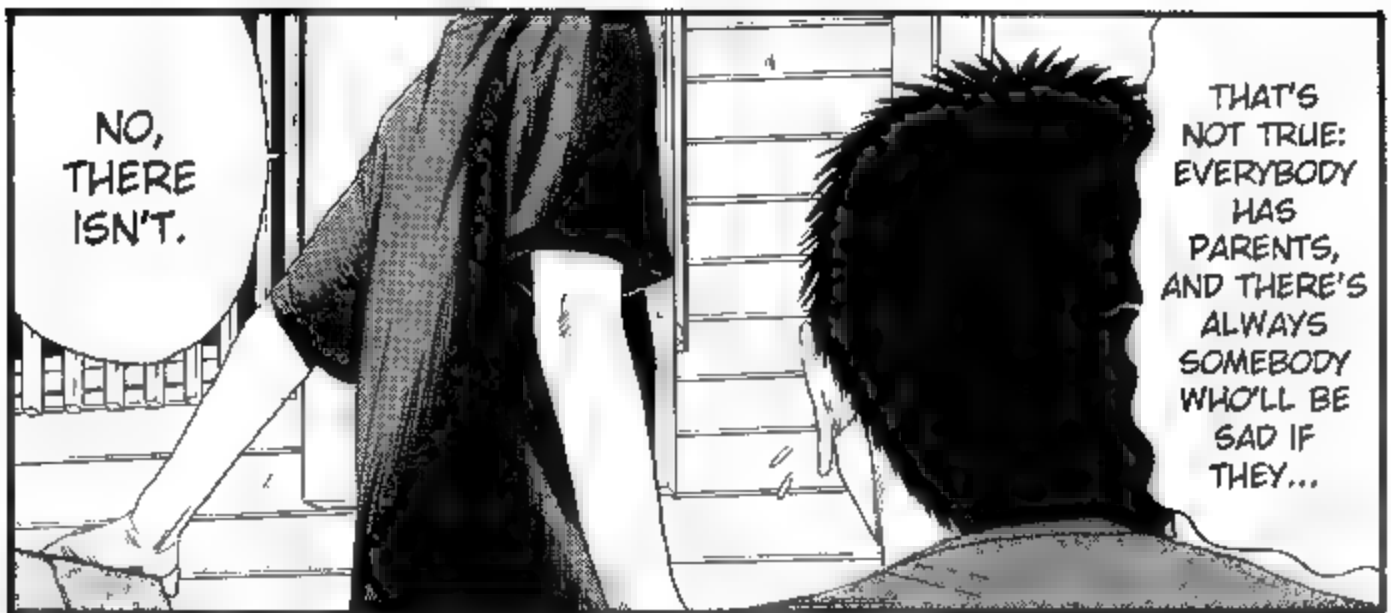
REAL  
LOSERS  
AND SCUM  
WHO DO  
NOTHING  
BUT CAUSE  
TROUBLE  
FOR OTHER  
PEOPLE.

THERE  
ARE PEOPLE  
IN THIS  
WORLD...  
WHO REALLY  
ARE BETTER  
OFF DEAD.

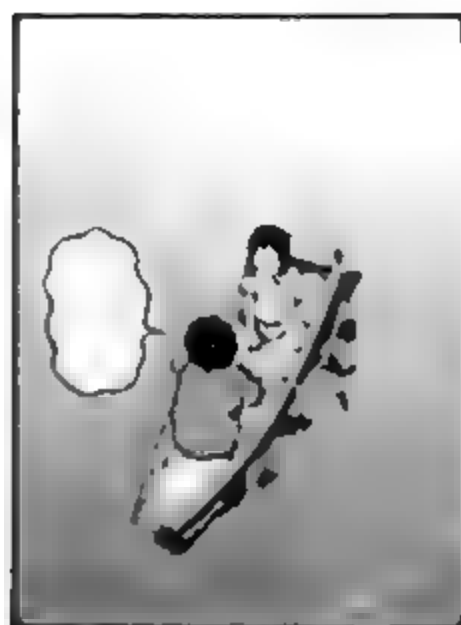


#1 ON MY  
LIST OF  
"PEOPLE I'D  
LAUGH AT  
IF THEY  
DIED."

HE "USED  
TO BE" MY  
FATHER,  
TECHNI-  
CALLY  
SPEAKING.





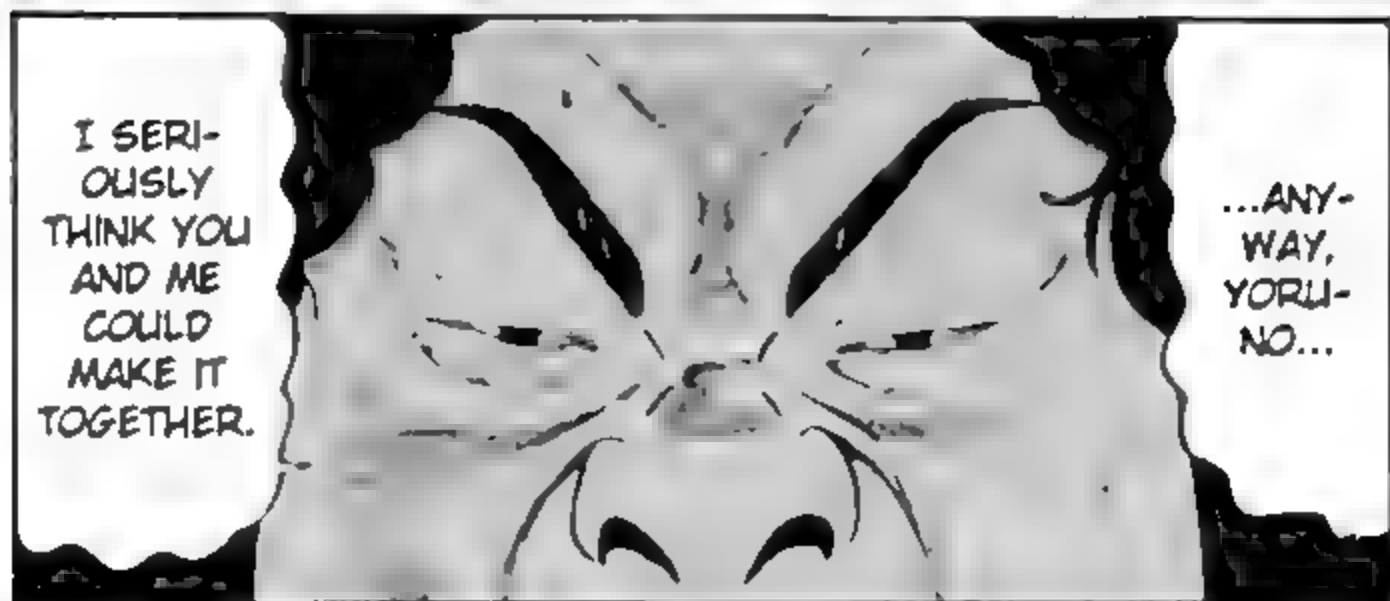


HE SEEMS  
LIKE A  
WORLD-  
CLASS  
ASSHOLE  
TO ME

IS  
HE  
?

HE'S A  
GOOD  
GUY.

I USED  
TO BE  
BULLIED  
TOO, BUT  
SUMIDA  
HELPED  
ME.



I SERI-  
OUSLY  
THINK YOU  
AND ME  
COULD  
MAKE IT  
TOGETHER.

...ANY-  
WAY,  
YORU-  
NO...



WHAT DO  
YOU SAY?  
DO YOU  
WANT TO  
PARTNER  
UP?

...I CAN'T  
SAY THIS IN  
FRONT OF  
KII-CHAN,  
BUT IF  
I'M GOING  
TO DO  
THIS THING,  
THEN WELL,  
I WANT TO  
GET RICH  
TOO!!

OH  
YEAH,  
HELLA  
RICH.

YOU  
SERIOUSLY  
WANT TO  
GET RICH  
?

I'M NOT  
JOKING  
AROUND  
!!





**SURE!!  
LET'S  
DO IT!!**



**AND GET  
INCRED-  
IBLY  
RICH!?**

**WANNA  
FORM A  
TEAM,  
HIT IT  
BIG...**



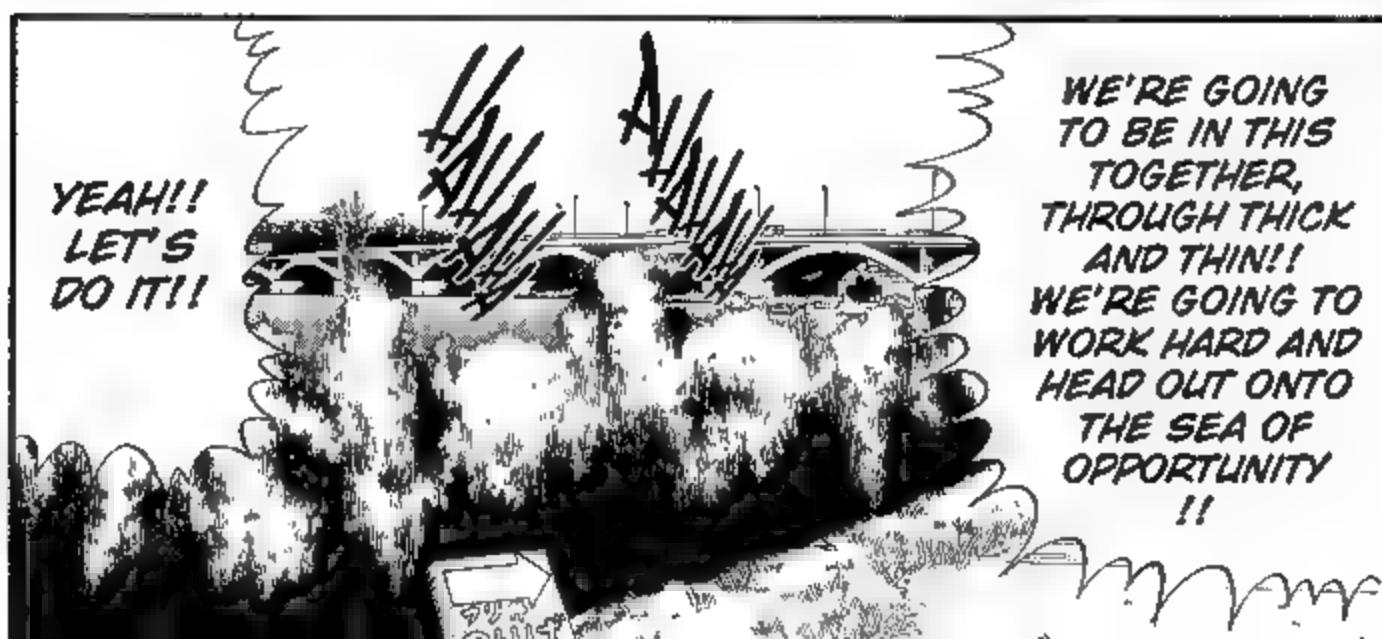
**I'M  
GOING  
TO DO  
IT!!**

**YOU'RE  
GOING  
TO DO  
IT!!**



**STARTING  
TODAY,  
WE'RE  
LIFE-LONG  
FRIENDS  
SHARING  
THE SAME  
DREAM!!**

**ALL  
RIGHT,  
IT'S  
DECI-  
DED  
THEN  
!!**

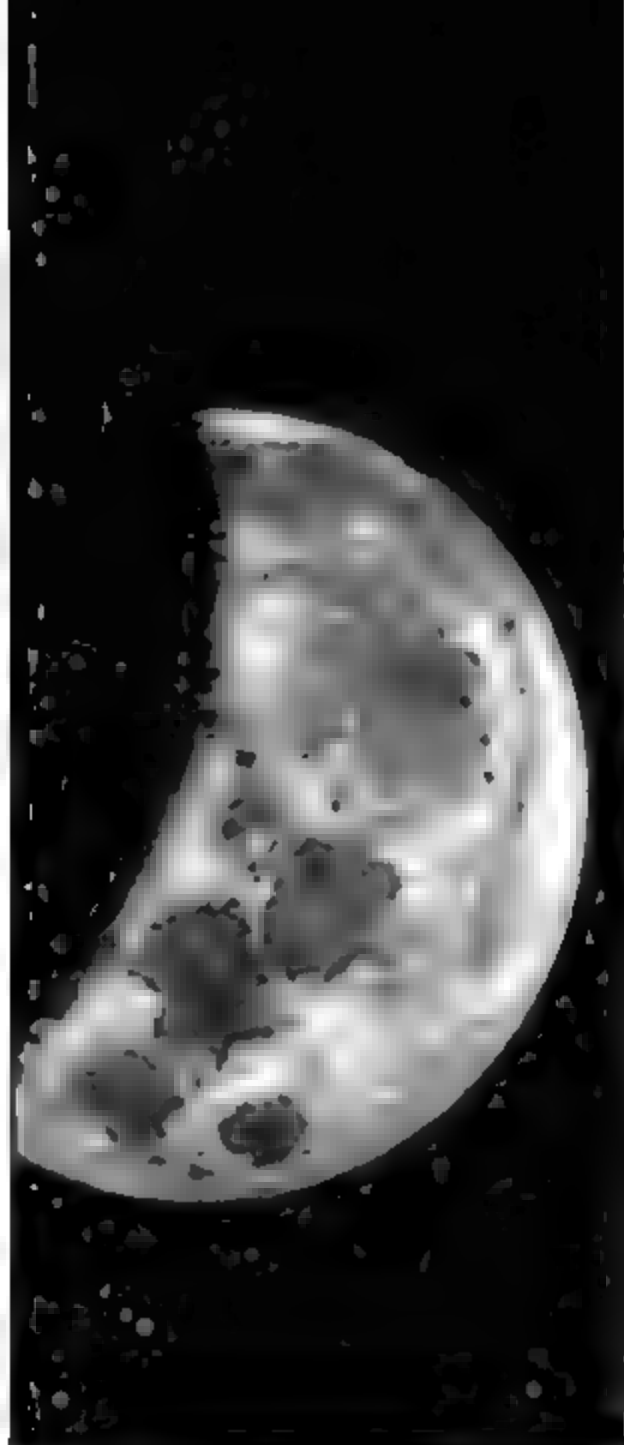


**YEAH!!  
LET'S  
DO IT!!**

**WE'RE GOING  
TO BE IN THIS  
TOGETHER,  
THROUGH THICK  
AND THIN!!  
WE'RE GOING TO  
WORK HARD AND  
HEAD OUT ONTO  
THE SEA OF  
OPPORTUNITY  
!!**







THAT'S WHY  
MY DREAM IS  
TO GROW UP,  
AND DRAW  
THE SAME  
SORT OF  
MANGA.

SO THAT  
KIDS CAN  
FEEL AS  
HAPPY AS  
THEY  
POSSIBLY  
CAN.



AND I  
ENJOYED  
THEM SO  
MUCH...  
I TOTALLY  
FORGOT THE  
FACT THAT I  
WAS EVEN  
SICK...

...WHEN I WAS  
YOUNG, AND  
IN HOSPITAL  
FOR A WHILE  
BECAUSE OF  
AN ILLNESS...  
MY MOM  
BROUGHT ME  
COMIC BOOKS.



...AS  
MUCH AS  
POSSIBLE  
...

WORK  
HARD TO  
HELP  
PEOPLE  
IN NEED  
...



AND CON-  
TRIBUT-  
ING TO  
SOCIETY  
...

...  
FINDING  
ONE'S  
CALLING  
IN LIFE  
...



MMM?  
MMMM  
MMM...

...FOR  
SOME  
GREAT  
GOALS  
...

...SHOZO...  
THAT GUY,  
HE'S REALLY  
GLUNNING  
...



...I DON'T  
STRIVE FOR  
ANYTHING  
...



HE HAS  
GREAT  
ASPIRA-  
TIONS  
IN LIFE.

REGARD-  
LESS OF  
WHETHER  
OR NOT HE  
SUCCEEDS  
...



I HAVE  
BUT ONE  
WISH...



I DON'T EVEN  
THINK ABOUT MY  
DREAMS, LET  
ALONE STEP INTO  
THE RING AND  
FIGHT FOR THEM.

SO I DON'T  
HAVE TO WORRY  
ABOUT GETTING  
HURT...

SO  
PLEASE!  
NOBODY  
CAUSE ANY  
TROUBLE  
FOR ME,  
EITHER  
!!

I SWEAR  
THAT I WILL  
NEVER CAUSE  
TROUBLE FOR  
ANYBODY, AS  
LONG AS I  
LIVE!!



I COULD  
EASILY BUY  
YOUR  
PARENTS'  
SOULS,  
TOO.



IF I HAD  
MONEY,  
I COULD  
BUY YOUR  
SOUL, NO  
PROBLEM.

# Chapter 4

## Chazawa Keiko



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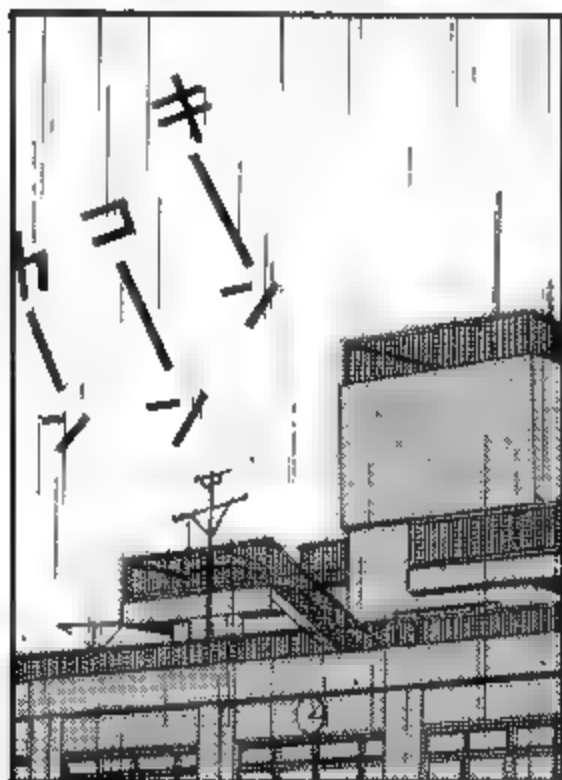
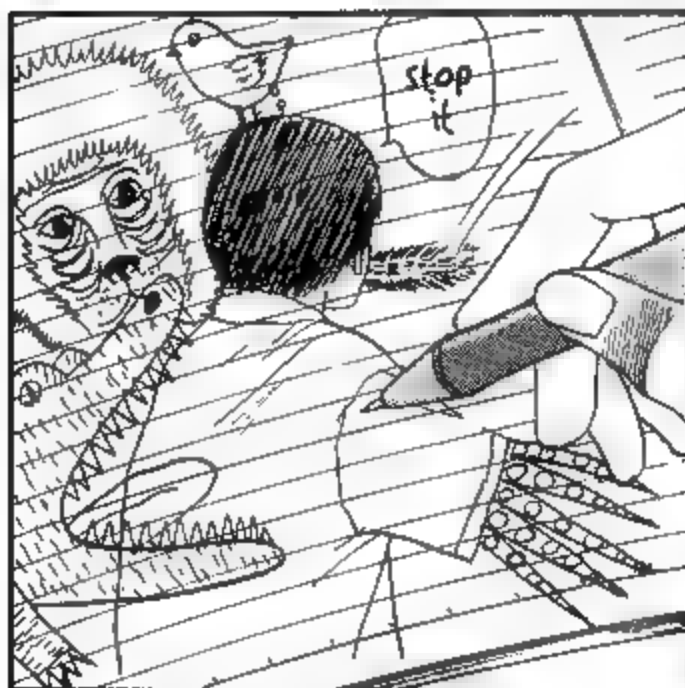
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JUST  
SOMETHING  
THAT MAKES  
ME A BIT  
BETTER THAN  
THE MEDIOCRE  
MAJORITY  
AROUND ME

I'M NOT  
ASKING FOR  
SOMETHING  
THAT NOBODY  
CAN MATCH











MY  
PANTS  
ARE  
SOAKED  
...

AWW MAN,  
THE  
UMBREL-  
LA'S TOO  
SMALL...

THEY  
FEEL  
SO  
GROSS  
...



DON'T  
YOU DO  
ANYTHING  
LIKE  
THAT,  
SUMIDA  
?

THE  
BOYS ARE  
ALWAYS  
STEALING  
OTHER  
PEOPLES'  
UMBREL-  
LAS...



QUIT  
WHINING,  
SHOZO.

MAN, I  
TOLD YOU  
WE SHOULD  
HAVE  
STOLEN  
SOME  
UMBREL-  
LAS...



I'VE  
NEVER  
SEEN  
ANYONE  
SAY  
SOME-  
THING  
LIKE  
THAT.

OH, WOW!  
HOW  
CAN YOU  
BE SO  
SURE OF  
YOUR-  
SELF?



NO, I  
DON'T...I'M  
PROBABLY  
THE MOST  
CONSIDER-  
ATE GUY  
IN THE  
SCHOOL  
...

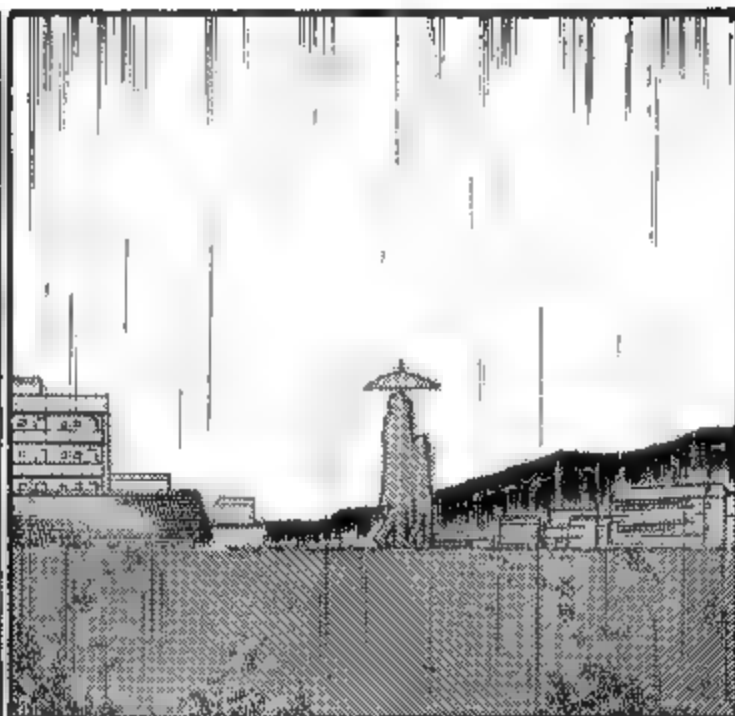




.....  
I'M FINE  
.....



CH-  
CHA-  
ZAWA  
!!  
ARE  
YOU  
OK  
!?



LEND  
ME  
SOME-  
THING.

HUH  
?

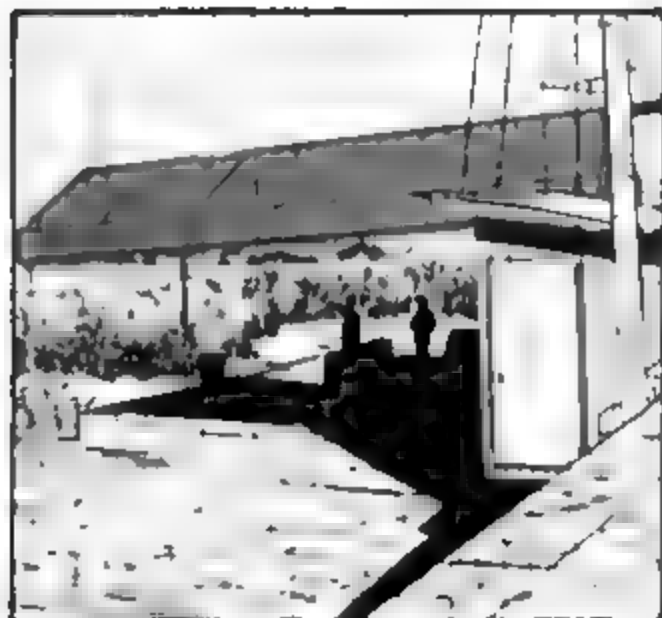
THANKS  
CHAZAWA  
...

..ERR..  
WELL,  
SHOZO  
AND I  
ARE GOING  
TO GO  
NOW...



.....  
THAT'S  
FINE.

WH..  
I'M  
SORRY,  
MAN...  
HERE I'LL  
GIVE YOU  
THE  
DOLLAR  
...



MY SOCKS,  
UNDERWEAR  
EVERYTHING'S  
JUST  
SOAKED.

LEND ME  
A T-SHIRT  
OR SOME-  
THING...  
YOU SAID  
YOU WERE  
CONSIDER-  
ATE, DIDN'T  
YOU?



...THIS  
IS A NICE  
HOUSE  
YOU'VE  
GOT  
HERE



FUCK NO!  
THIS IS  
THE FIRST  
TIME I  
EVEN  
TALKED  
TO HER  
!!

HEY  
SUMIDA!  
WHO IS  
THIS  
CHICK?  
IS SHE  
YOUR  
FRIEND  
?



THANKS...  
I'VE  
NEVER  
WORN  
BOXERS  
BEFORE.

H...HEY...  
DONT  
YOU HAVE  
ANY  
MODESTY  
?





I'VE  
ACTUALLY  
WANTED TO  
SIT DOWN  
AND HAVE  
A TALK WITH  
YOU FOR  
A WHILE,  
SUMIDA.

YEAH,  
UM...TO  
TELL THE  
TRUTH...



NO HE  
DOESN'T  
!

...I,  
UHH...DON'T  
REALLY HAVE  
ANYTHING  
TO...  
DISCUSS...  
WITH YOU...  
CHAZAWA...



YOU'RE  
A COW  
IN HOK-  
KAIDO.

YOU'RE  
A COW.



WHO BRINGS YOU LOTS OF DIFFERENT PLANTS TO EAT EVERY DAY.

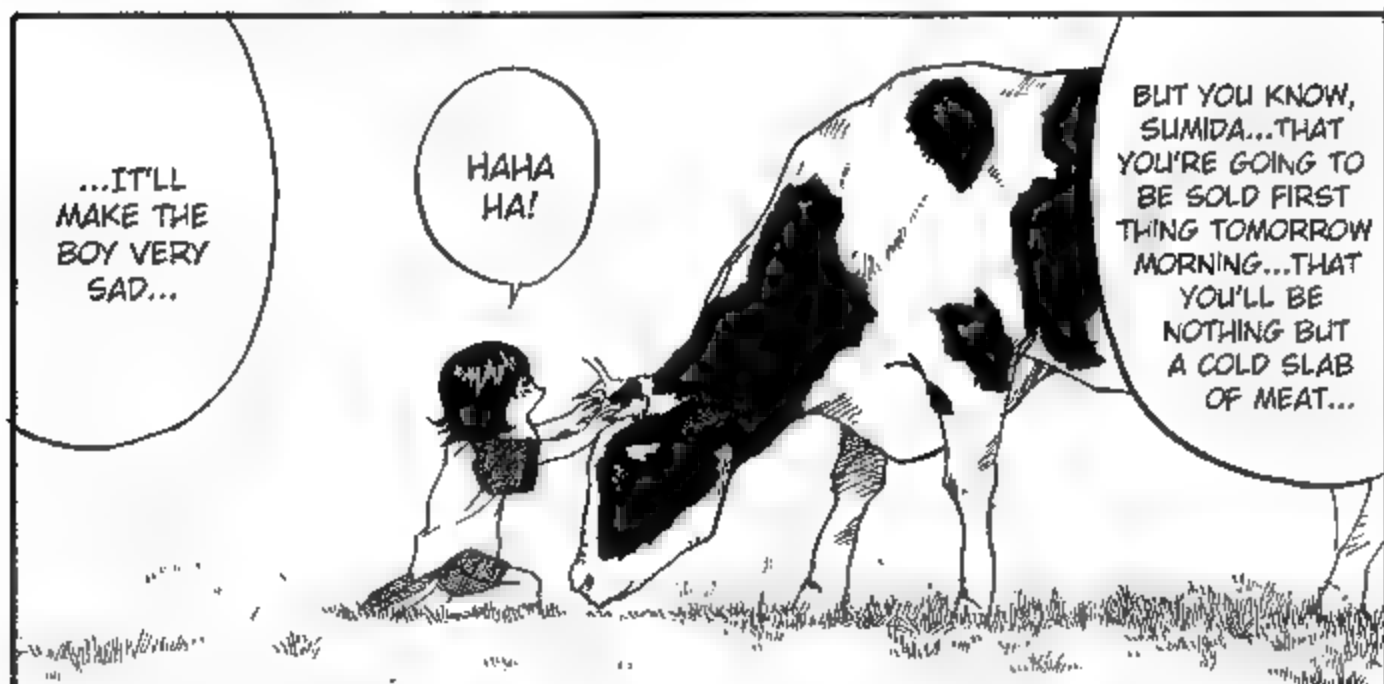
HERE YOU GO!

THERE'S A CUTE LITTLE BOY THERE...

YOU LIVE A RELAXED LIFE UNDER THE SKY WITH ALL OF YOUR FELLOW COWS.



YOUR BODY IS THAT OF A COW, BUT INSIDE YOU STILL RETAIN YOUR OWN SOUL, SUMIDA...



...IT'LL MAKE THE BOY VERY SAD...

HAHA HA!

BUT YOU KNOW, SUMIDA... THAT YOU'RE GOING TO BE SOLD FIRST THING TOMORROW MORNING... THAT YOU'LL BE NOTHING BUT A COLD SLAB OF MEAT...



WHAT WOULD YOU TELL THAT BOY...? WHAT WOULD YOUR LAST WORDS BE?

MOO! MOO!

SUMIDA... WHAT DO YOU SAY?



"THANK YOU" OR SOMETHING ALONG THOSE LINES, I GUESS ...

..... WELL...

うん  
うん



M  
O  
O  
O  
O  
!!



WELL, IS IT !?



THIS BETTER NOT BE SOME LAME JOKE ABOUT HOW "OH, BUT A COW CAN ONLY MOO!"...

....UHMM, HEY...





...AND THE  
NEXT DAY,  
A COLLEGE  
STUDENT  
WAS SHOT  
AND  
KILLED...?

DO YOU  
REMEMBER?  
...ABOUT 6  
MONTHS AGO,  
A COP WAS  
KILLED BY OUR  
SCHOOL, AND  
HIS GUN WAS  
STOLEN...



THAT  
MIGHT  
HAVE  
BEEN  
MY  
BRO-  
THER  
...

...I  
THINK  
...



YEAH, I  
REMEMBER  
...IT WAS  
ALL OVER  
THE  
NEWS...



...AND THERE  
WAS ALL THIS  
NONSENSICAL  
RAMBLING IN THE  
DIARY, ALONG  
WITH INFORMATION  
ABOUT THE CASE  
THAT ONLY THE  
PERPETRATOR  
COULD KNOW  
...

I WAS  
LOOKING  
THROUGH HIS  
BOOKSHELF...  
AND I FOUND  
THIS, AND  
SOME SORT  
OF DIARY...



"THOSE 2  
JOKERS BEING  
'MURDER' AND  
'SUICIDE'...  
THE STUPID  
MASSES  
NEVER USE  
THOSE CARDS,  
BUT I'M  
DIFFERENT!"  
"...NOW,  
LET'S  
BRING  
AN END  
TO THIS...  
ONE ROUND  
FOR YOU...  
AND THE  
OTHER ONE  
FOR..."

"THERE ARE  
2 ROUNDS  
LEFT...LIFE  
IS LIKE A  
CARD GAME,  
EVERYBODY  
HAS 2  
JOKERS..."



NO!!  
IF HE  
FOUND  
OUT,  
HE'D  
KILL  
ME!!

I...I KNOW!  
LET'S  
JUST EMPTY  
THE GUN!!  
FIRE OFF  
THOSE  
2 SHOTS  
RIGHT  
NOW!!

MAYBE  
HE'S  
PLANNING  
ON KILLING  
ONE MORE  
PERSON  
AND THEN  
CAPPING  
HIMSELF  
!!

I  
COULDN'T  
BELIEVE  
IT! MY  
BROTHER  
MIGHT  
BE A  
KILLER  
!!

NO!!  
I'M TOO  
SCARED  
!!

TH, THEN  
LET'S GO  
TO THE  
COPS!!  
JUST  
TAKE THE  
GUN TO  
THE  
STATION  
AND HAND  
IT OVER  
!!

WHAT  
AM I  
GOING  
TO DO  
!?

WHAT  
IS IT,  
SUMIDA  
!?

.....  
LHH  
.....

DON'T  
HAVE BIG,  
FANCY  
GUNS LIKE  
THAT...

POLICE  
OFFICERS  
IN JAPAN  
...



THEY  
DON'T  
!?

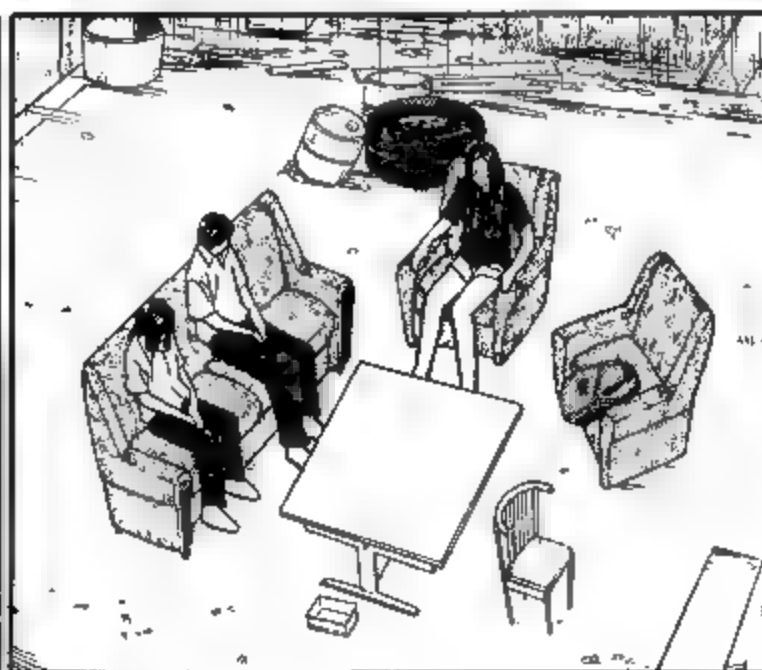
.....OH,  
THEY  
DON'T  
?

HUH  
?



...I  
WAS  
LYING.







SUICIDE,  
OBTAIN-  
OUSLY.

AND  
WHICH  
ONE  
WOULD  
THAT  
BE?



YOU  
ONLY  
GET 1.

...AND  
ANYWAY,  
YOU  
DON'T  
GET 2  
JOKERS  
IN LIFE.



I HATE  
INSOLENT  
ASSHOLES  
LIKE THAT:  
IF ONE  
CAME UP  
TO ME,  
I'D KILL  
THEM!!

...I MEAN,  
THE MOST  
OFFENSIVE  
THING YOU  
CAN DO IN  
THIS WORLD  
IS TAKE  
A LIFE,  
RIGHT?



THAT'S  
RIGHT:  
SUMIDA  
WOULD  
BE THE  
BIGGEST  
IDIOT  
OF THEM  
ALL!

YEAH,  
THEN YOU'D  
BE THE  
BIGGEST  
CRIMINAL,  
SUMIDA  
!!

... YOU  
THINK  
SO?



AS  
LONG AS  
YOU'RE  
A GOOD  
PERSON  
?  
MURDER  
IS  
MURDER.

OH SO  
YOU'RE  
SAYING  
THAT  
KILLING  
IN THE  
NAME OF  
JUSTICE  
IS FINE,



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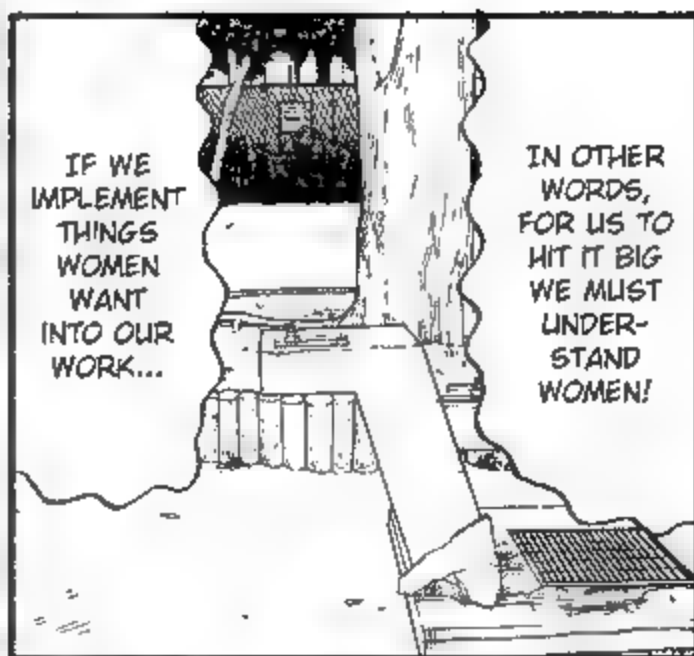
## Chapter 5

### Akada Kenichi's Modus Operandi





WE GET  
A BIG  
HOUSE IN  
CALIFORNIA  
!!



IF WE  
IMPLEMENT  
THINGS  
WOMEN  
WANT  
INTO OUR  
WORK...

IN OTHER  
WORDS,  
FOR US TO  
HIT IT BIG  
WE MUST  
UNDER-  
STAND  
WOMEN!



MONEY  
!

MONEY  
!!

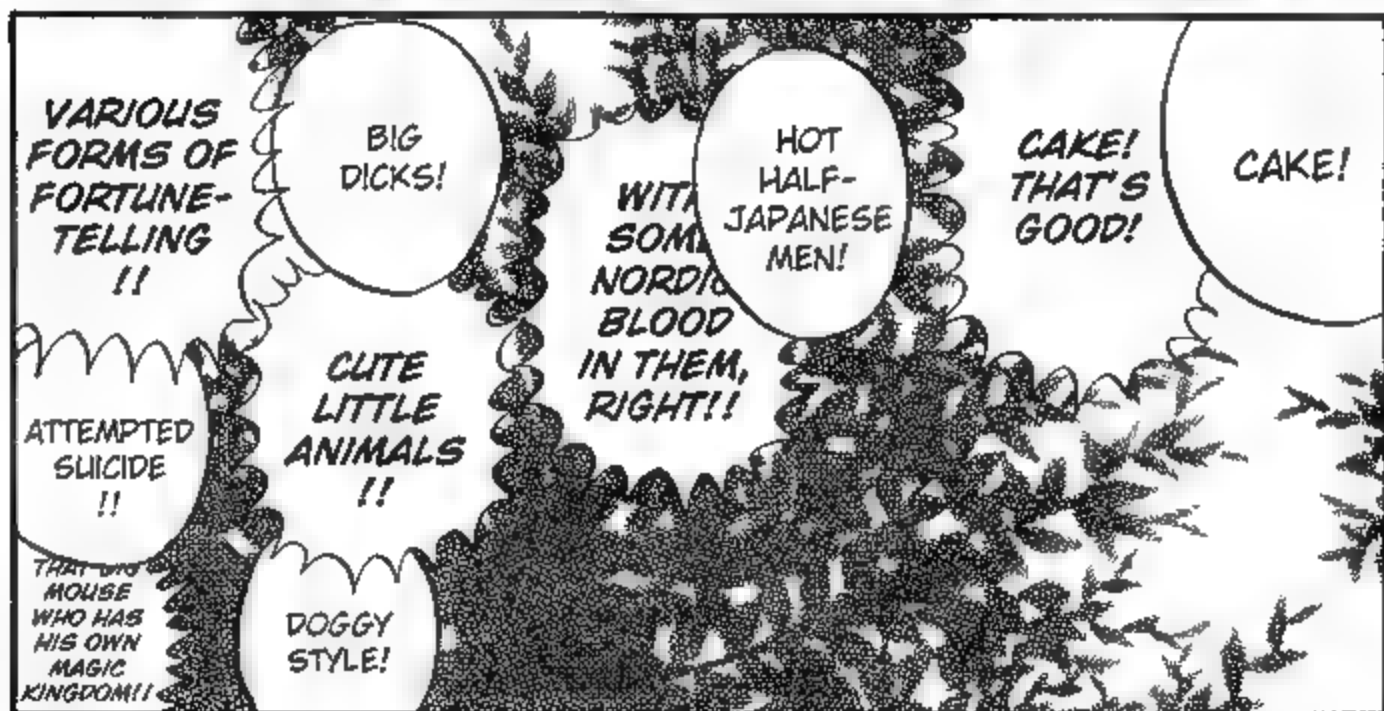


ALL  
RIGHT  
YORINO!  
GIVE  
ME A  
LIST OF  
THINGS  
WOMEN  
LIKE  
!!



AREN'T  
I!?

DAMN!  
YOU'RE  
A  
SMART  
GUY!!



VARIOUS  
FORMS OF  
FORTUNE-  
TELLING  
!!

BIG  
DICKS!

WITH  
SOME  
NORDIC  
BLOOD  
IN THEM,  
RIGHT!!

HOT  
HALF-  
JAPANESE  
MEN!

CAKE!  
THAT'S  
GOOD!

CAKE!

ATTEMPTED  
SUICIDE  
!!

CUTE  
LITTLE  
ANIMALS  
!!

DOGGY  
STYLE!

THAT WAS  
THE  
MOUSE  
WHO HAS  
HIS OWN  
MAGIC  
KINGDOM!!





WAIT,  
BEFORE  
WE  
START  
GETTING  
INTO  
THE  
STORY  
!!



...AND  
?



HERE,  
LET'S TRY  
RIGHT  
NOW!  
DRAW THE  
MOST  
BEAUTIFUL  
WOMAN  
YOU  
POSSIBLY  
CAN!!

HOT  
WOMEN  
?



THE ART,  
MAN;  
THE ART!!  
CAN YOU  
DRAW  
INCRED-  
IBLY HOT  
WOMEN  
!?

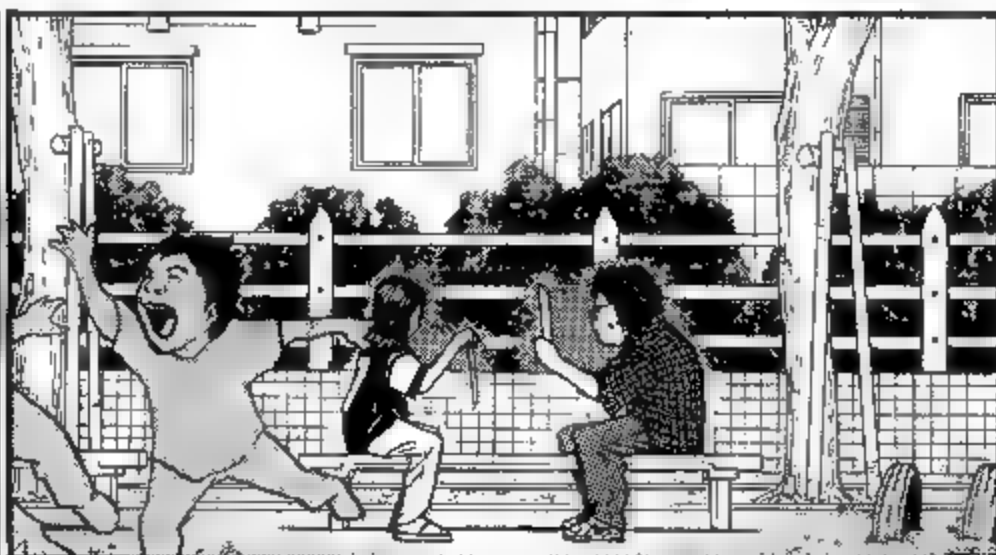
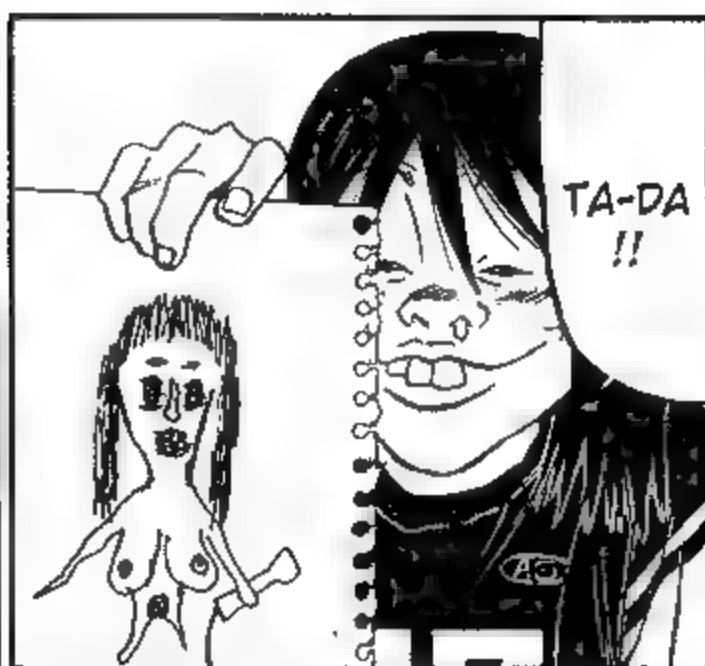
THERE  
IS  
SOME-  
THING  
IMPOR-  
TANT  
WE  
HAVE  
TO  
TAKE  
CARE  
OF!!



...ARE  
YOU  
DONE  
?

YEAH,  
I'M  
DONE.









**YOU'RE  
GOING  
TO MEET  
THE  
OKAJIMA  
NAGISA  
TODAY  
!?**

**WHAT  
!?**

**I'VE  
GOT A  
MEETING  
WITH  
THE  
OKAJIMA  
NAGISA  
AT 6!!**

**...  
THAT'S  
RIGHT!**

**AND WHEN  
I EXPLAINED  
THAT I WAS  
A STUDENT  
ASPIRING  
TO BE A  
MANGAKA,  
HE SAID THAT  
WE SHOULD  
MEET UP  
AND TALK  
ABOUT IT  
!!**

**HOLY  
SHIT  
!!**

**HOLY  
SHIT!**

**HEHEHE...I  
FOUND OUT  
YESTERDAY  
THAT THE  
PERSON I  
MET ON THE  
KITTY-CATS  
WEBSITE WAS  
OKAJIMA  
NAGISA,  
THE FAMOUS  
MANGAKA  
!!**

**WHAT...  
BUT...  
HOW!?  
WHAT  
DO YOU  
MEAN  
!?**

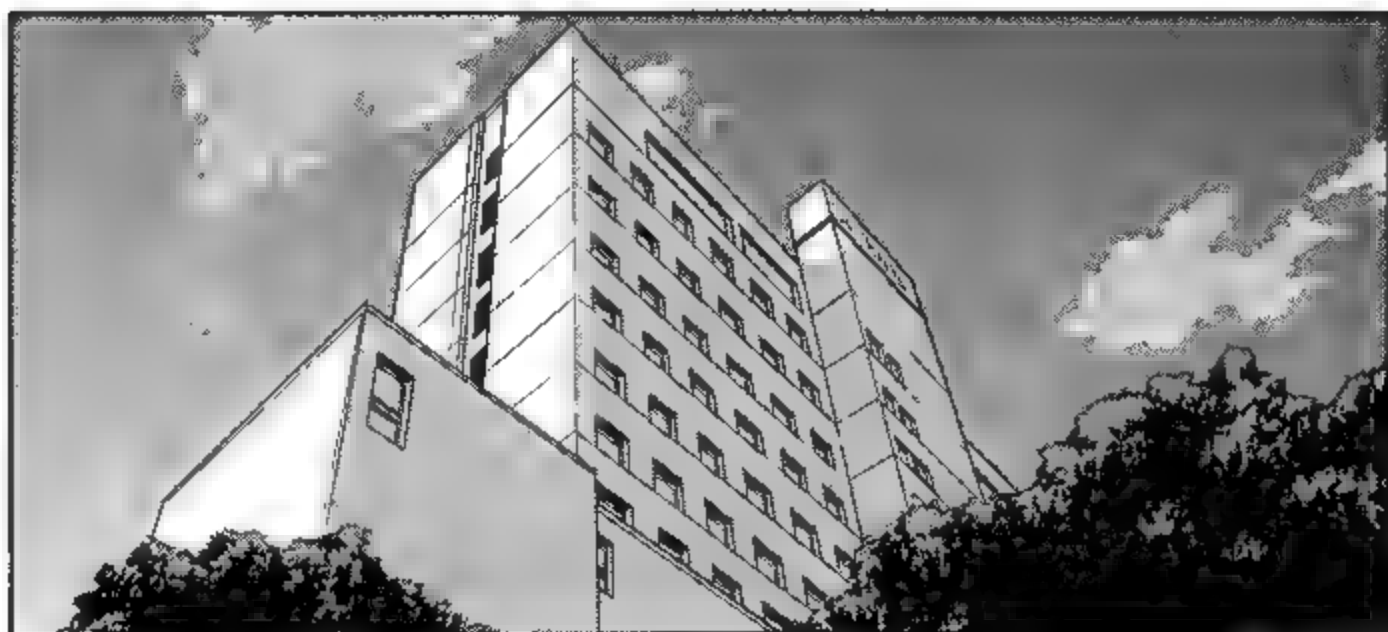


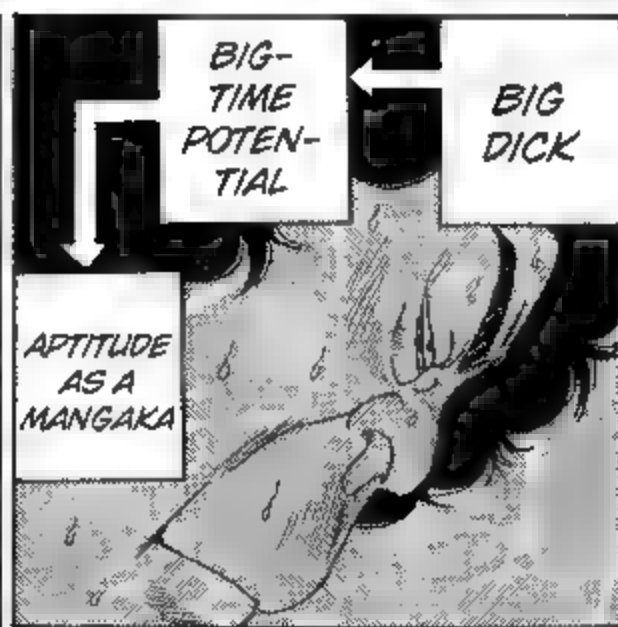


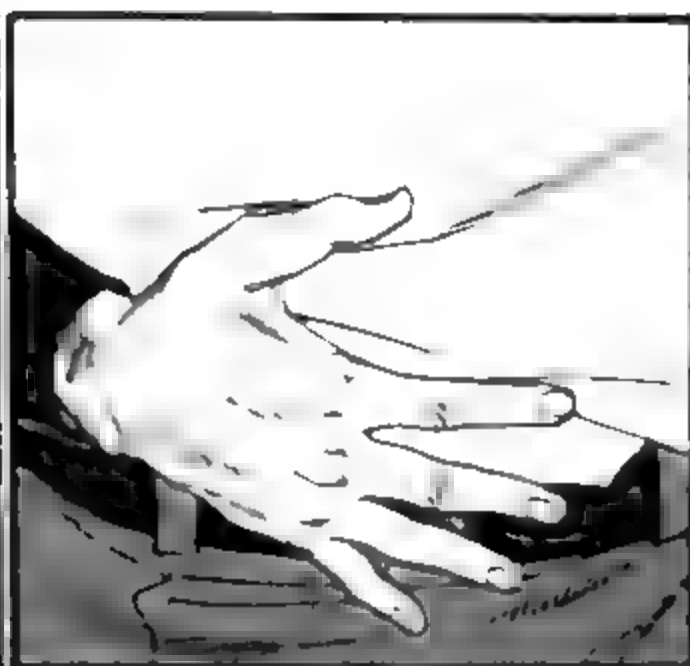


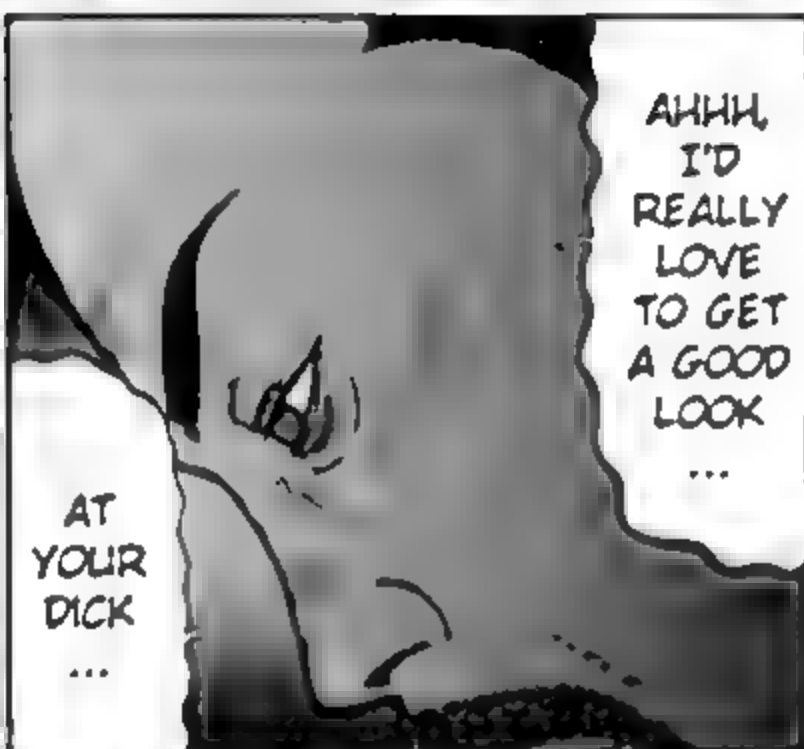












YEAH  
I DON'T  
HAVE  
MUCH  
TIME





...DO YOU  
UNDER-  
STAND THIS  
SITUATION,  
AKADA...?



JUST  
PRETEND  
THAT IT'S  
A WOMAN.

DON'T  
WORRY;  
JUST CLOSE  
YOUR EYES,  
AND IT'LL  
BE OVER  
BEFORE YOU  
KNOW IT.



...UP UNTIL  
YESTERDAY,  
I THOUGHT  
OUR DREAMS  
WERE MORE  
IMAGINARY  
THAN PLUTO

BUT NOW  
WE'RE  
APPROACHING  
JUPITER  
!!







## Chapter 6

# Everything Has To Be About You

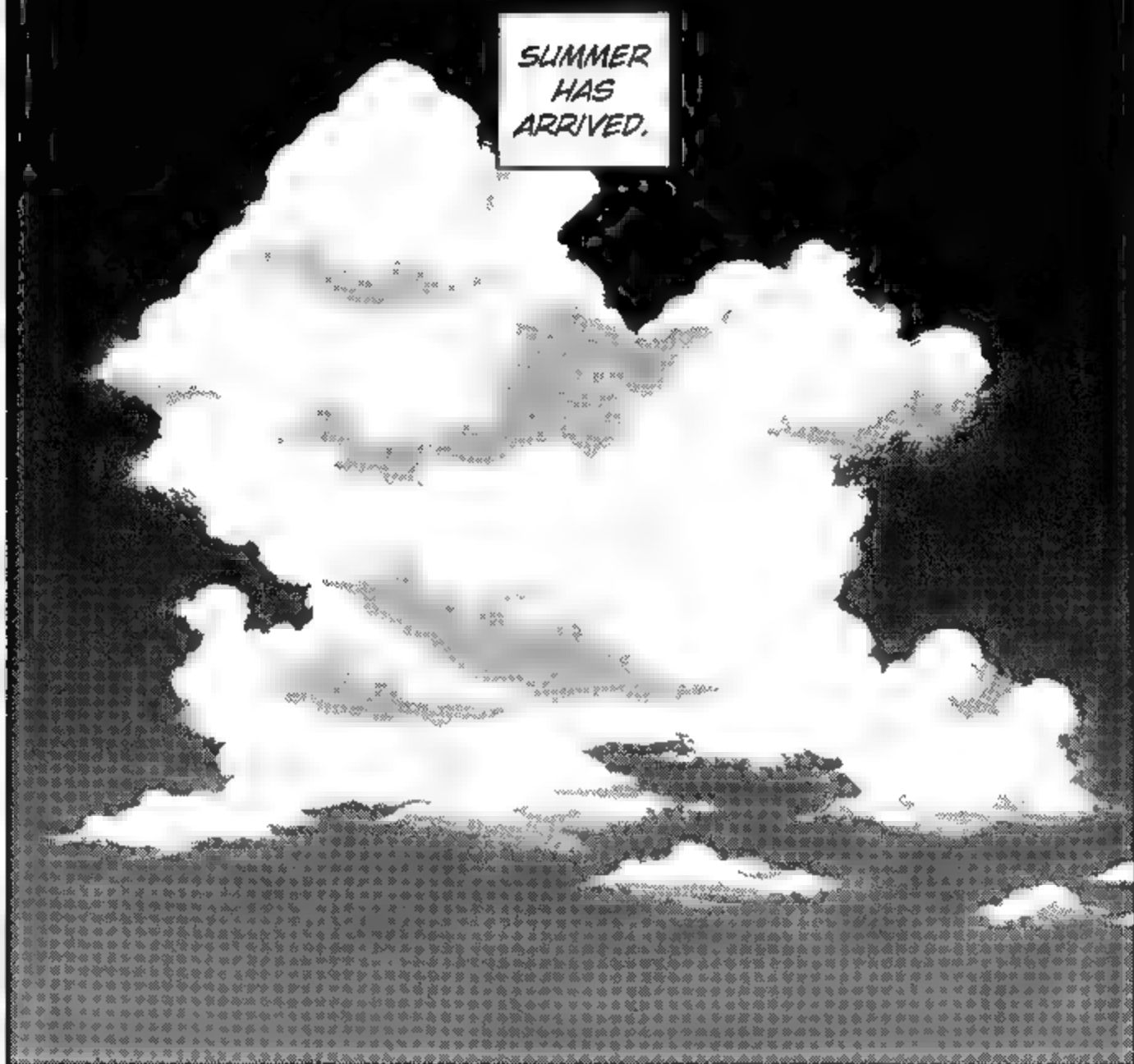


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*SUMMER  
HAS  
ARRIVED.*



*SUMMER  
MAKES  
THE YOUTH  
RESTLESS*

...

*IT GIVES  
THEM A  
VAGUE  
EXPEC-  
TATION  
THAT  
"SOME-  
THING  
MIGHT  
HAPPEN."*



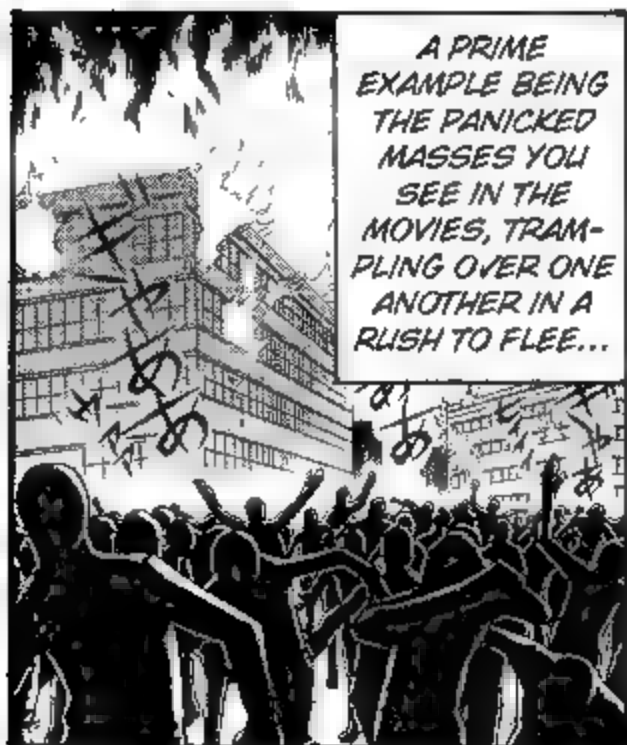


CALM  
DOWN!  
NOTHING  
WILL  
HAPPEN.

THIS IS  
NOTHING  
SPECIAL!!

WHEN WHAT  
IS A TIME  
OF GREAT  
EXPECTA-  
TIONS  
FOR OTHER  
PEOPLE IS  
UPON US,  
I THINK, OUT  
OF UNCER-  
TAINTY AND  
PETTINESS...

THE SAME  
SORT OF  
THING CAN  
ALSO BE  
OBSERVED  
DURING  
CHRISTMAS  
AND NEW  
YEARS.



A PRIME  
EXAMPLE BEING  
THE PANICKED  
MASSES YOU  
SEE IN THE  
MOVIES, TRAM-  
PLING OVER ONE  
ANOTHER IN A  
RUSH TO FLEE...



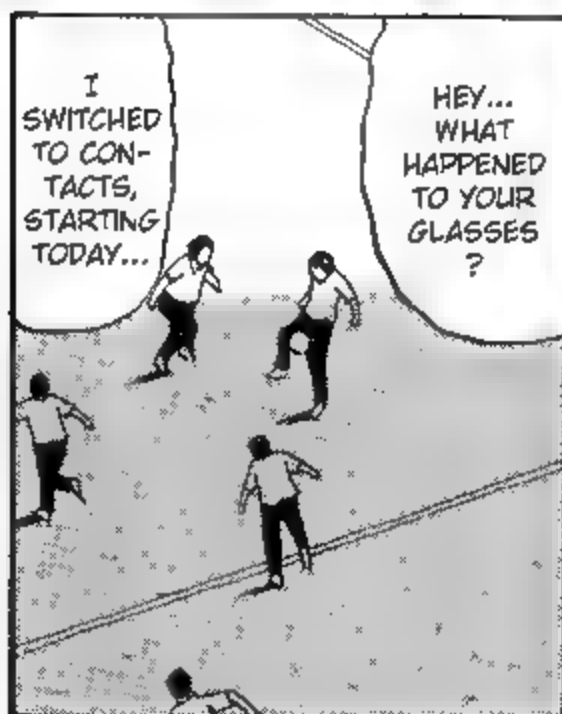
THERE ARE  
PEOPLE  
WHO, WHEN  
TENSIONS  
RISE,  
BECOME  
RECKLESS  
AND EGO-  
CENTRIC  
...

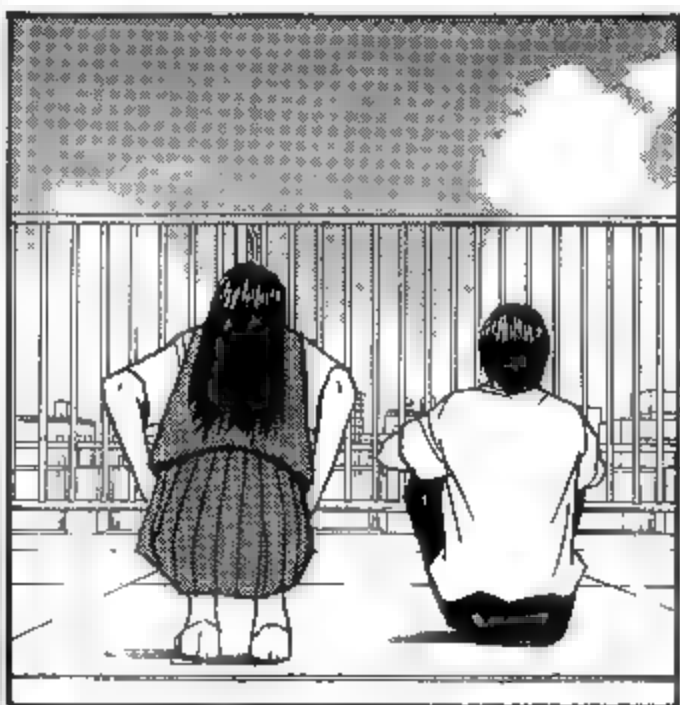


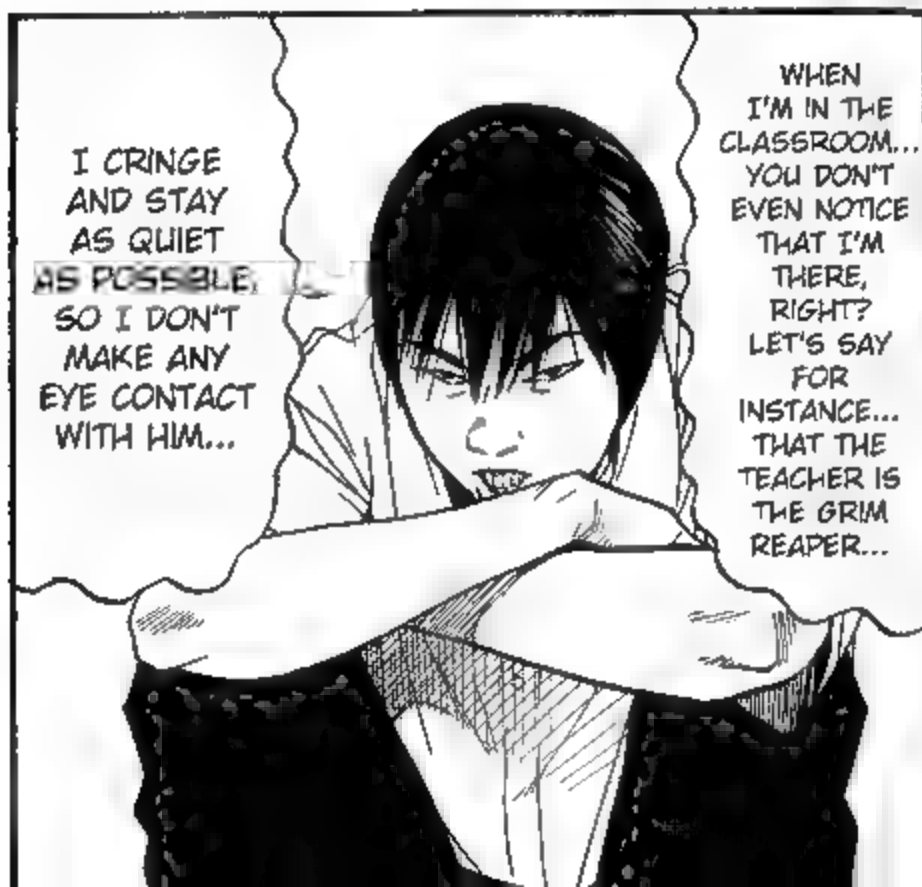
YOU  
HAVE TO  
CALM  
DOWN  
...

TURNING  
INTO  
MERE  
BEASTS  
IN THE  
BLINK  
OF AN  
EYE.















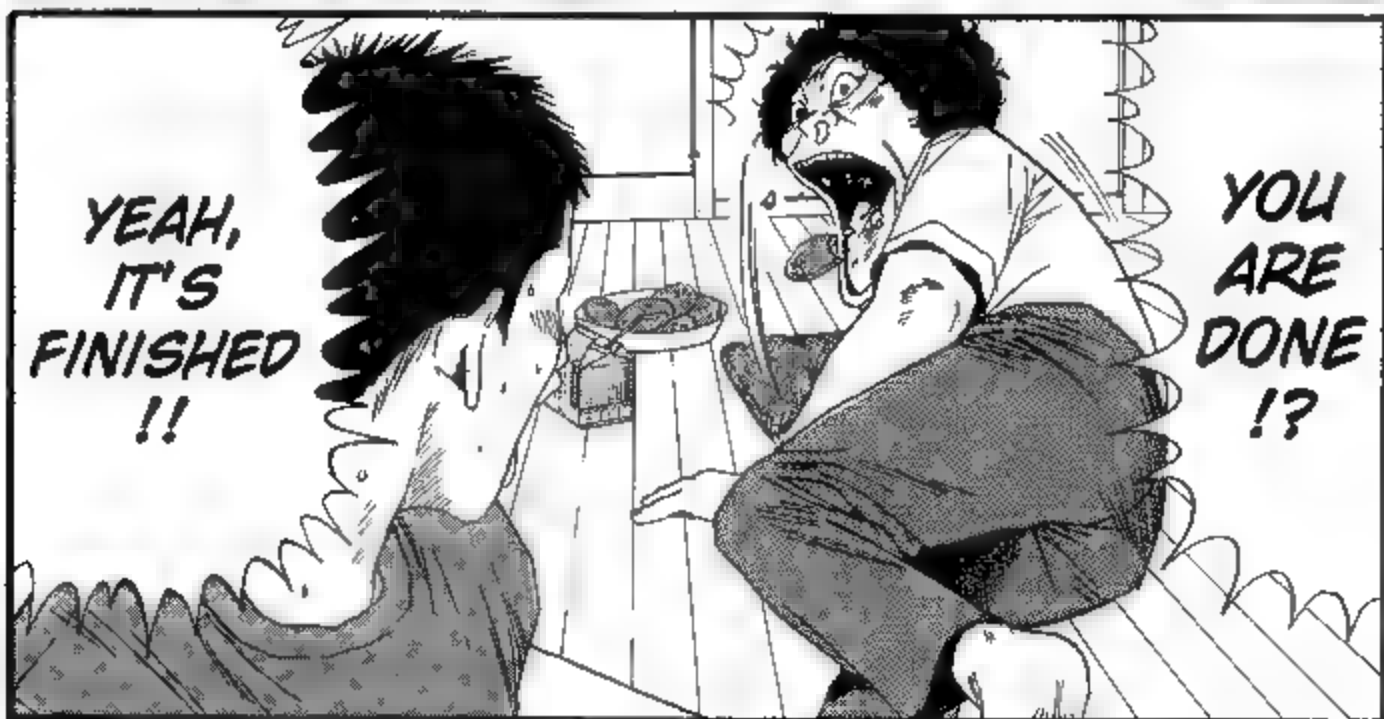
OH...  
YOU'RE  
HOME.













NOT YET,  
THE INK  
HASN'T  
DRIED  
YET.

HERE,  
LET ME  
TAKE  
A LOOK  
!!

I'M  
SO  
TIRED  
....!!



AWESOME  
!!  
CONGRATS,  
KII-CHAN  
!!



I STARTED  
WORKING ON  
IT, LITTLE BY  
LITTLE, LAST  
SUMMER...  
GOD KNOWS  
HOW MANY  
TIMES I  
THOUGHT  
ABOUT JUST  
GIVING UP...

WHEW...  
THAT TOOK...  
A REALLY,  
REALLY LONG  
TIME...



I DON'T  
CARE ABOUT  
THE PRIZE  
ANYMORE...  
I'M GOING  
TO THE  
BATHROOM  
FOR A SEC.

DON'T  
TOUCH  
ANY-  
THING!

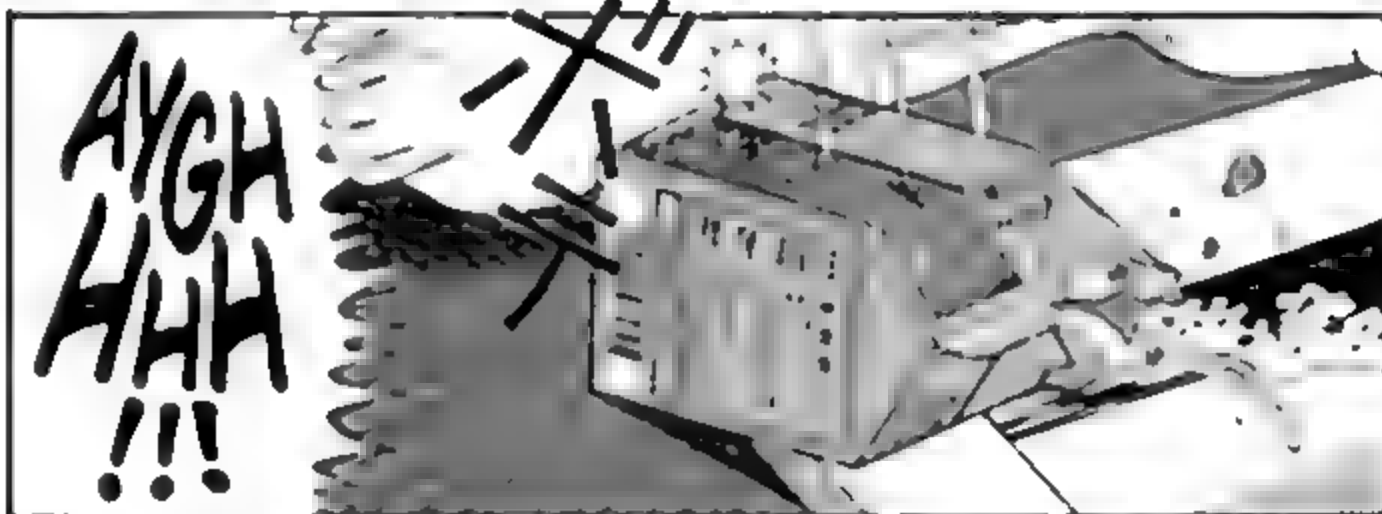
ALL  
RIGHT,  
THAT 10  
GRAND  
IN PRIZE  
MONEY  
IS ALL  
BUT  
YOURS!  
LET'S  
GO TO  
HAWAII,  
MAN!



I ONLY  
WATCHED,  
BUT  
IT WAS  
JUST  
AMAZING...  
YOU'RE  
AWESOME  
!!

YEAH...  
YOU  
DID IT!  
YOU  
REALLY  
DID IT  
!!













# Chapter 7

## Die, Akada Kenichi

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KE  
KE  
KE  
KE





OH  
SHIT  
OH  
SHIT  
!!

OH  
SHIT  
!!

A YEAR'S  
WORTH OF  
KII-CHAN'S  
WORK....!!

ALMOST  
LIKE HE  
WAS POS-  
SESSED  
!!

EVEN WHEN  
HE WAS SICK!  
OR HAD  
A TOOTH-  
ACHE!

DAY  
AFTER  
DAY!

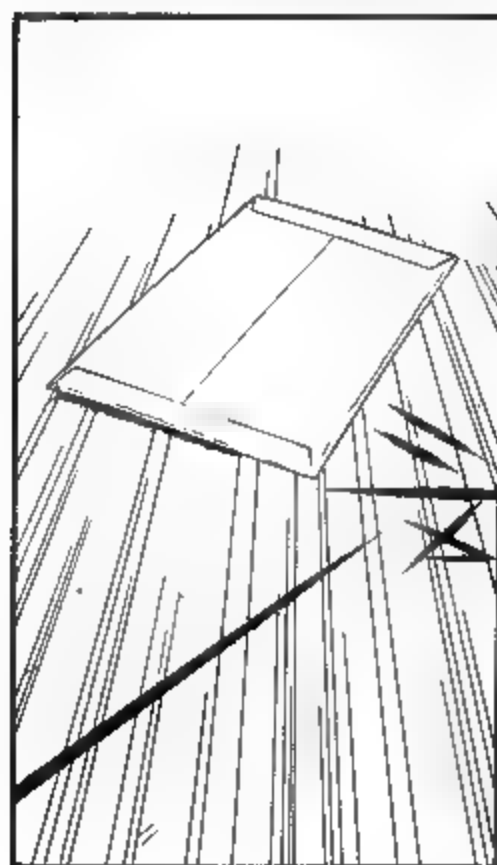
60  
PAGES  
!!

HE WORKED  
AND WORKED  
AND WORKED  
ON THAT  
FANTASY  
SPECTACLE  
...

I  
FUCKED  
IT UP  
!!

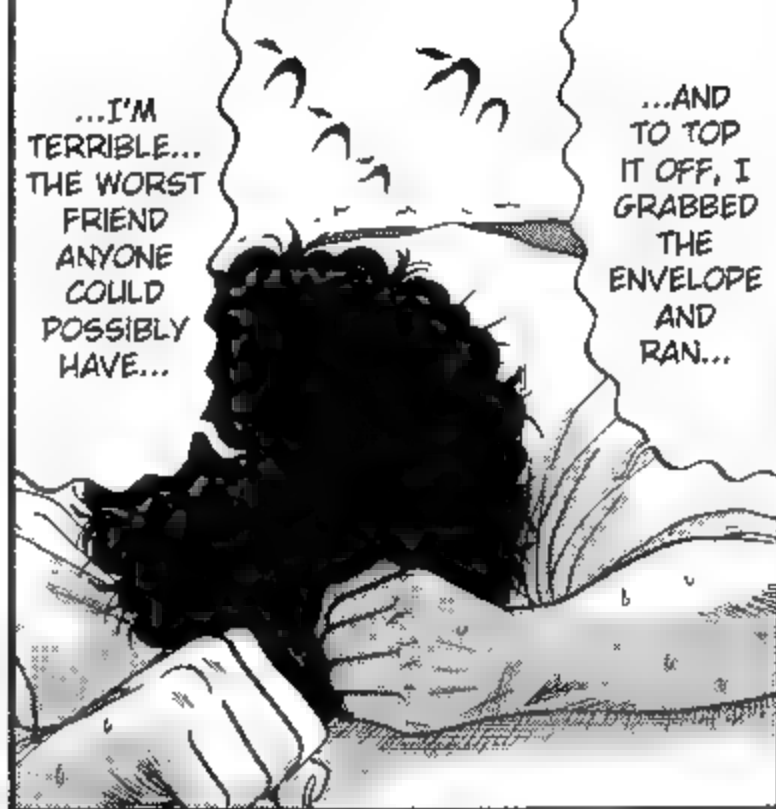
AND I  
RUINED  
IT!





...I'M  
TERRIBLE...  
THE WORST  
FRIEND  
ANYONE  
COULD  
POSSIBLY  
HAVE...

...AND  
TO TOP  
IT OFF, I  
GRABBED  
THE  
ENVELOPE  
AND  
RAN...



...  
THAT'S  
THE  
ONLY  
THING  
I CAN  
DO...

...I'M  
GOING  
TO JUST  
GO BACK  
AND  
APOLO-  
GIZE  
STRAIGHT-  
UP...

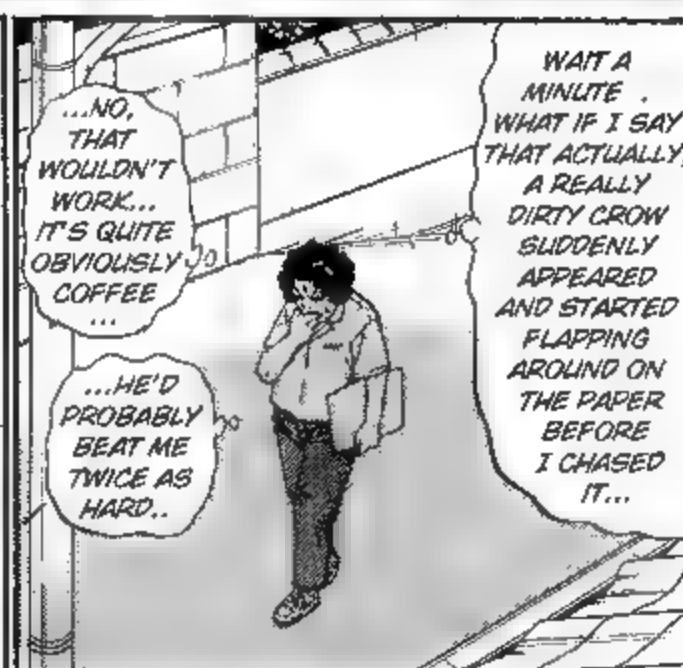




I WONDER IF KII-CHAN WILL PUNCH ME... YEAH, HE PROBABLY WILL...



HMMM...I MUST COME UP WITH AN EXCUSE SO THAT HE'LL AT LEAST USE AN OPEN PALM INSTEAD OF A FIST...

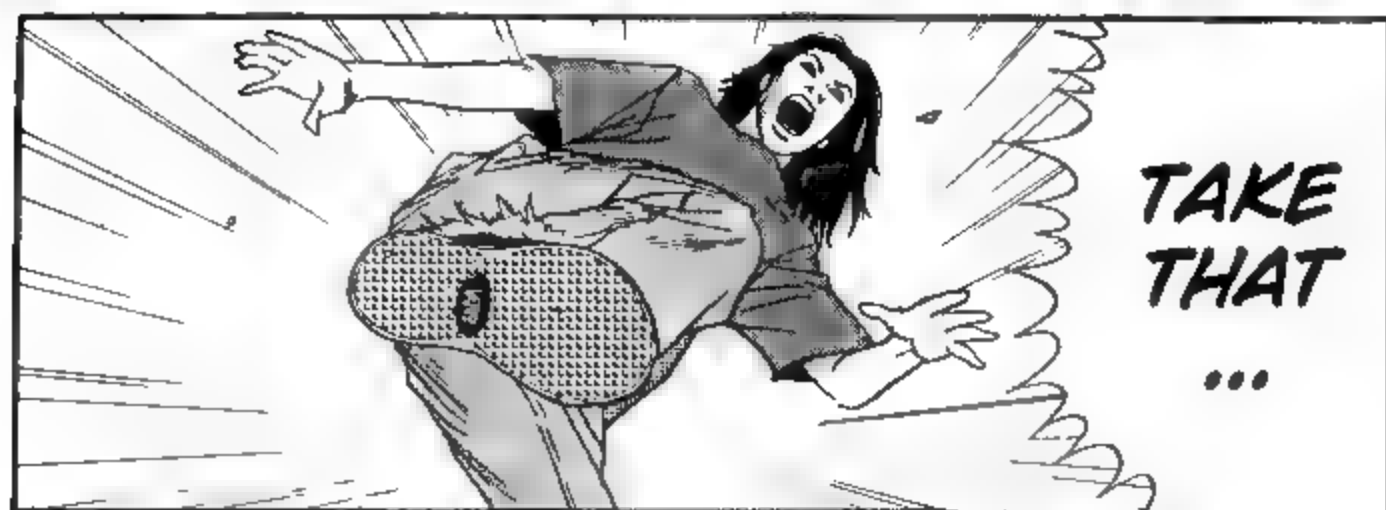


...NO, THAT WOULDN'T WORK... IT'S QUITE OBVIOUSLY COFFEE ...

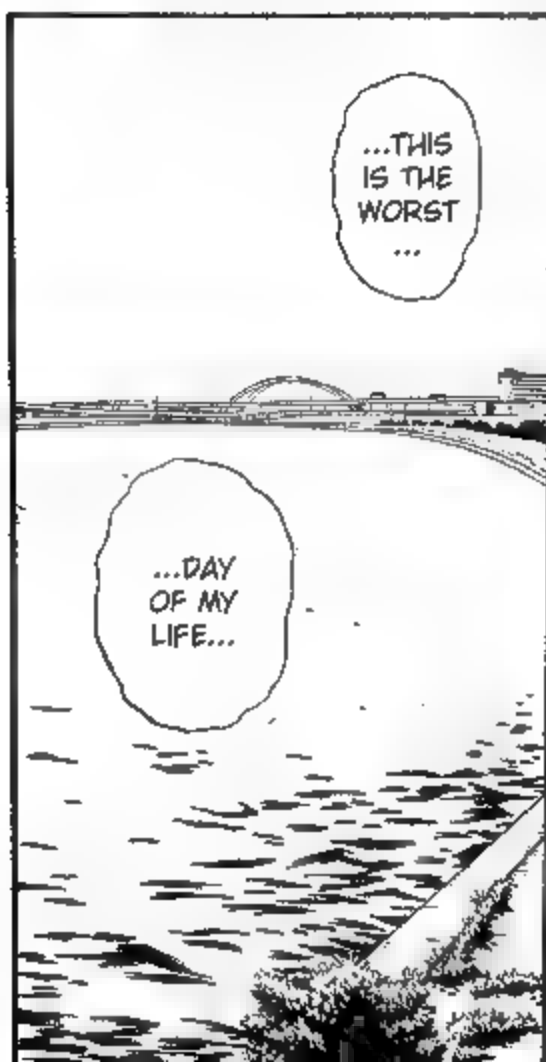
...HE'D PROBABLY BEAT ME TWICE AS HARD..

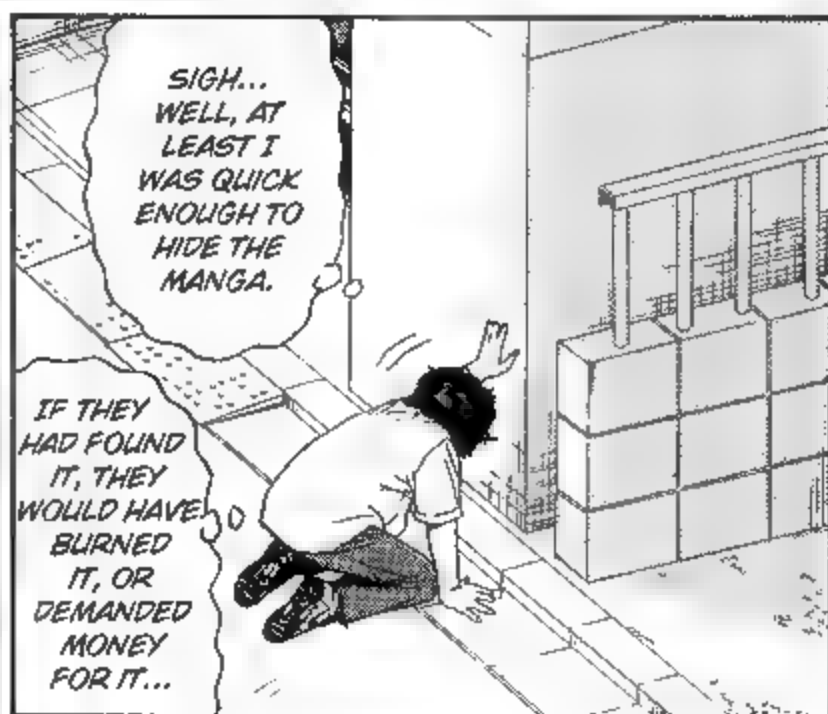


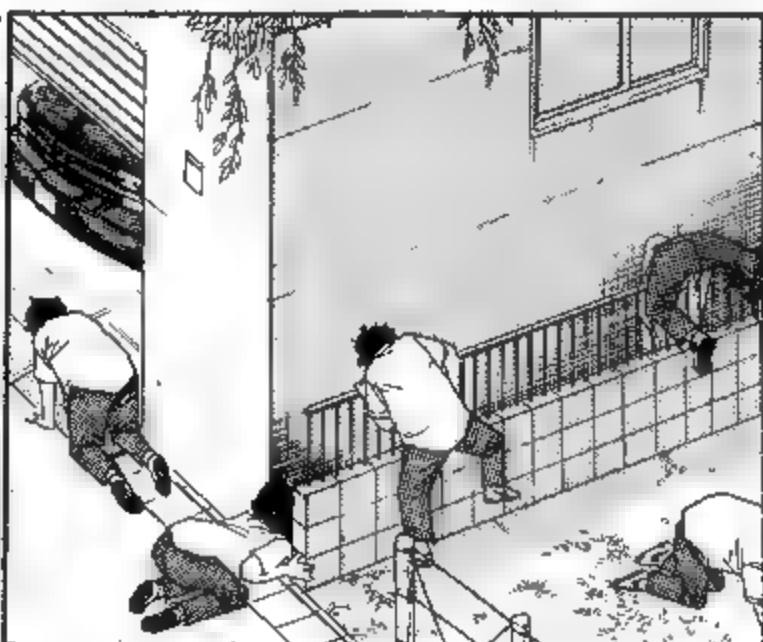


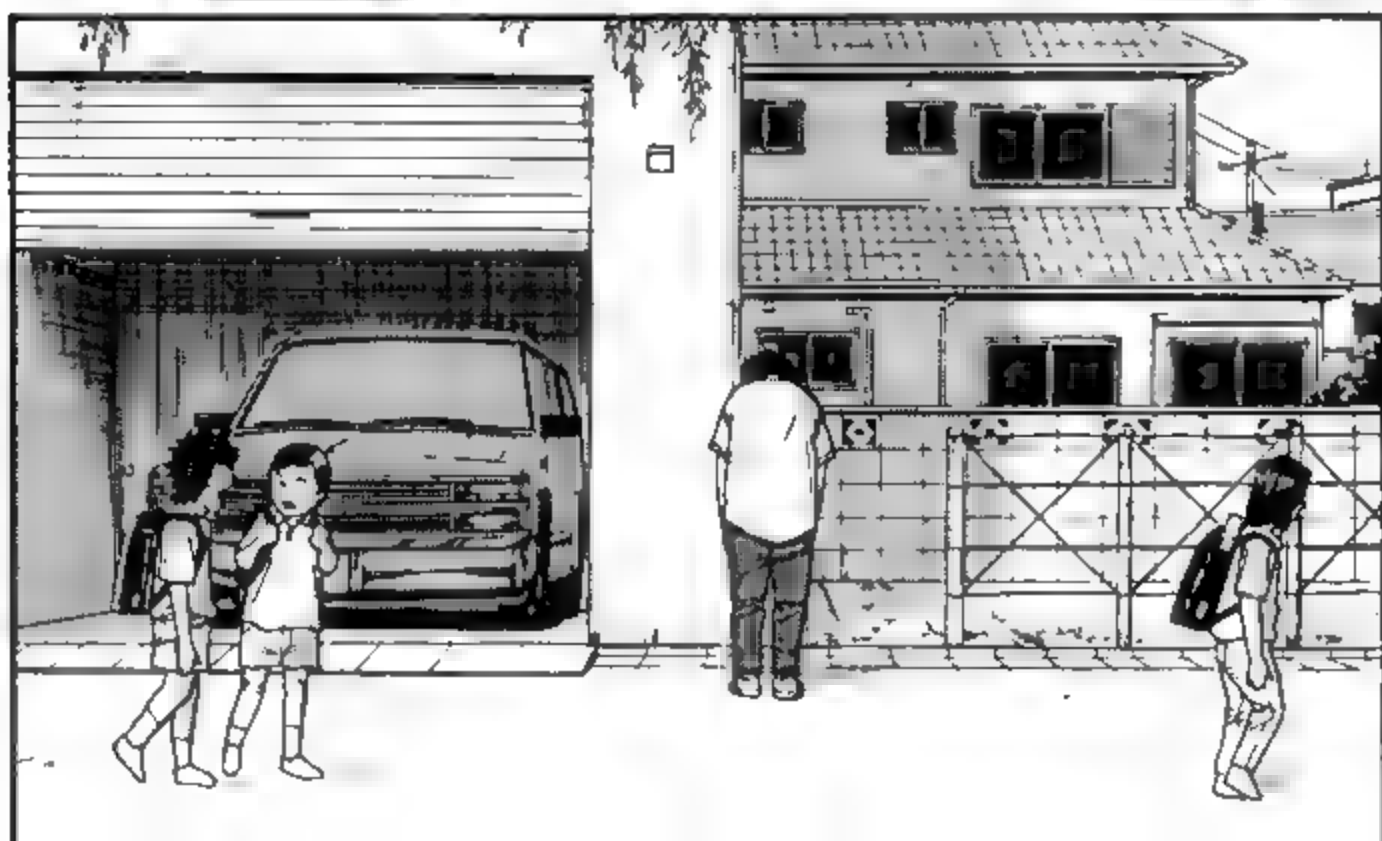


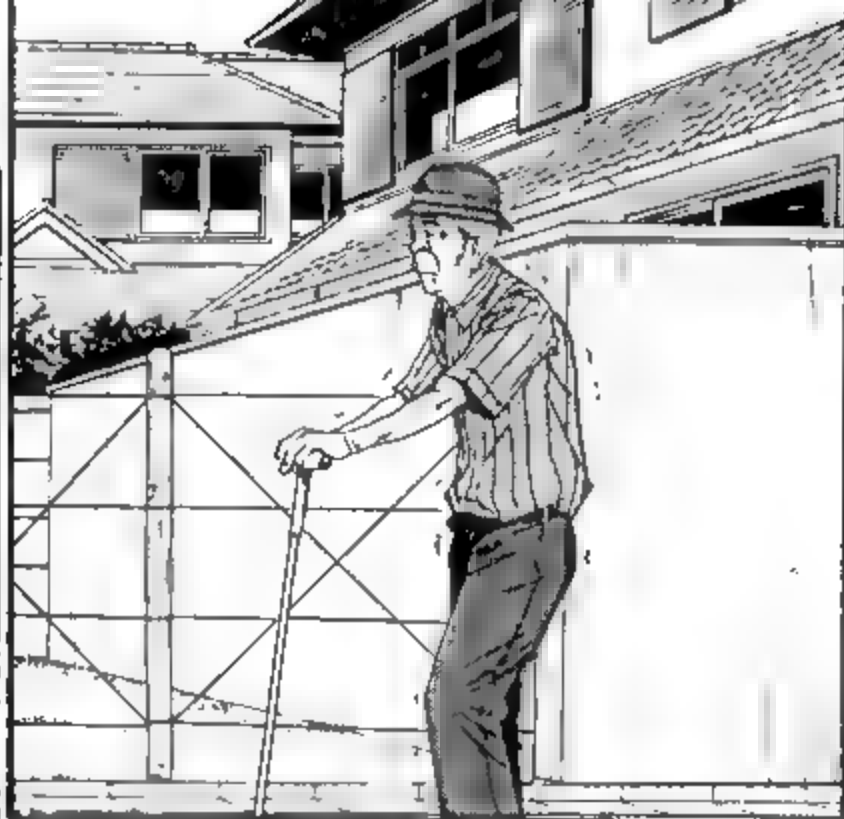














**HUH  
!?**

**YOU  
BRATS  
!!**

**I SAID,  
I DON'T  
EVEN  
KNOW  
ANY-  
MORE.**

**WHAT  
?**



**...WHAT  
HAPPENED  
TODAY?**



**UHH...  
WHY  
?**

**ASK ME  
WHAT  
HAP-  
PENED  
TODAY!!  
COME  
ON,  
DO IT!**

**JUST  
DO IT,  
GOD-  
DAM-  
NIT!!**

**I  
DON'T  
FLU-  
CK-  
ING  
CARE.**

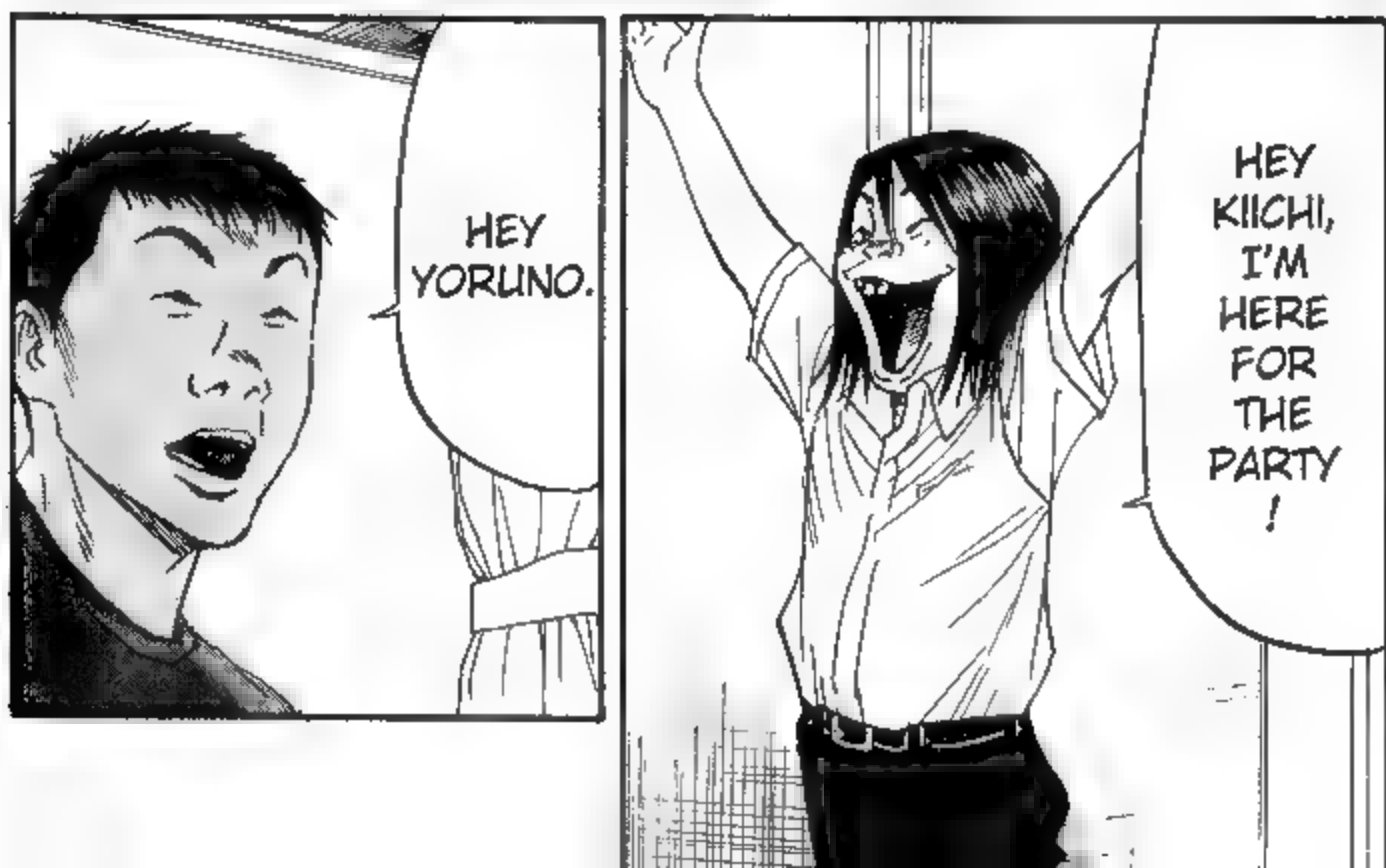
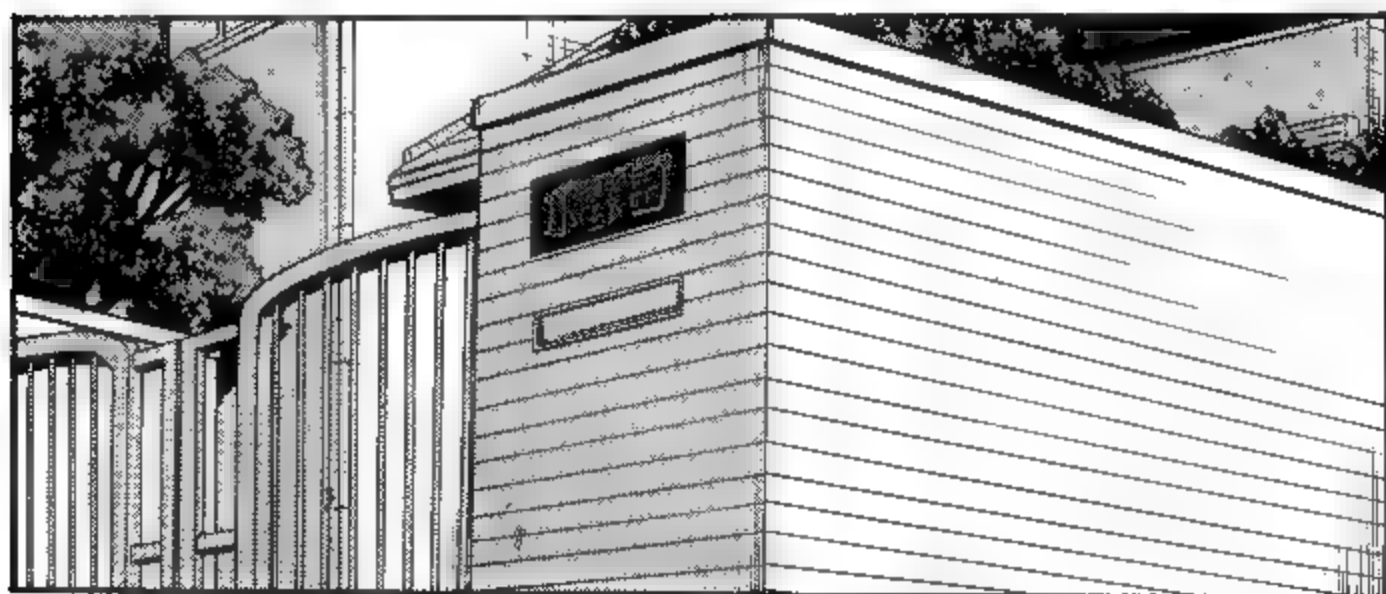


**AHHH!!  
WHAT'S  
WRONG  
WITH  
THIS  
PIG?**

**HOW  
THE  
FLUCK  
WOULD  
I  
KNOW.**







IT WAS QUITE  
A POWERFUL  
PIECE OF  
WORK AND  
HE HAD HIS  
CONTACT  
INFORMATION  
WRITTEN ON  
THE BACK

THIS BOY  
PHONED TO  
TELL ME  
THAT HE  
FOUND MY  
MANGA ON  
THE SIDE OF  
THE ROAD.

OH?

YOU  
FOUND IT  
ON THE  
STREET  
?

I KNOW;  
I CAN'T  
BELIEVE IT!  
I HAVE TO  
RE-DO 2  
PAGES NOW.

HEY, YOU  
HAVE SOME  
REAL TALENT-  
CAN YOU DRAW  
SOMETHING FOR  
ME? I'M GONNA  
SELL IT WHEN  
YOU GET  
FAMOUS.

AND THEN  
HE JUST  
DUMPED IT  
ON THE SIDE  
OF THE  
ROAD? WHAT A  
BASTARD.

AND THEN  
PANICKED,  
GRABBED  
THE  
PAGES  
AND RAN  
OFF...

YEAH...  
I'M  
GUESSING  
AKADA  
SPILLED  
COFFEE  
ON IT...

...USING  
ME AS A  
PURE  
MEDIUM...

...SO  
BASICALLY,  
GOD WANTED  
TO TELL  
KII-CHAN,  
YOU KNOW,  
"YOU FOOL!  
START OVER  
AGAIN!"...





# Chapter 11

## Mother's Flight of Love

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I HAVE  
A HEAD  
ACHES

I GO FOR  
RUNS AT  
NIGHT.



AND I GO TO  
THE LOCAL  
BATH HOUSE

WHEN I HAVE  
A HEADACHE  
BECAUSE  
I DON'T WANT  
TO GO TO  
A BATH

AND  
THAT'S  
THE  
ONLY  
I CAN



IT'S NOT  
LIKE I'M  
WORKING  
OUT OR  
ANYTHING.

I HAVE  
A HEADACHE  
BECAUSE

I HAVE  
A HEADACHE  
BECAUSE

I HAVE  
A HEADACHE  
BECAUSE



NO MATTER  
HOW DOWN I  
WAS FEELING  
THAT DAY...  
IT PUTS ME  
IN A GOOD  
MOOD...AND  
THEN

AFTER I'VE  
COMPLETED  
MY RUN,  
I ALWAYS  
FEEL GOOD.



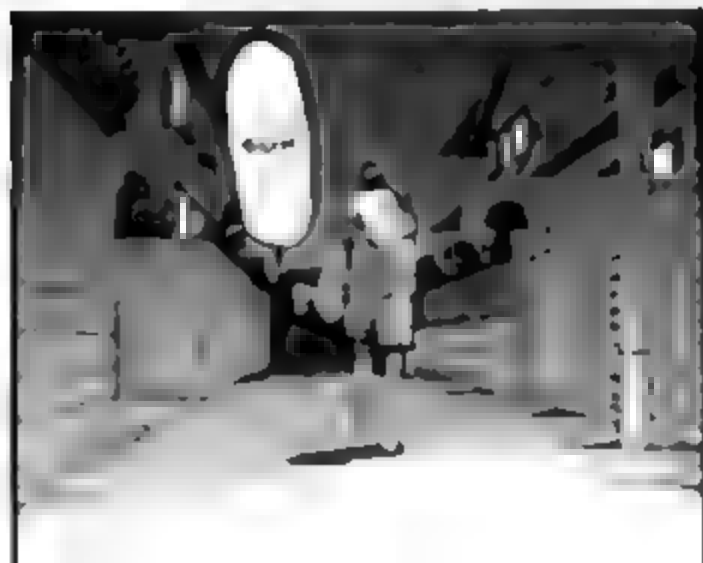
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EVERY  
DAY IS A  
NEW ADVENTURE  
AND I LOVE  
IT.

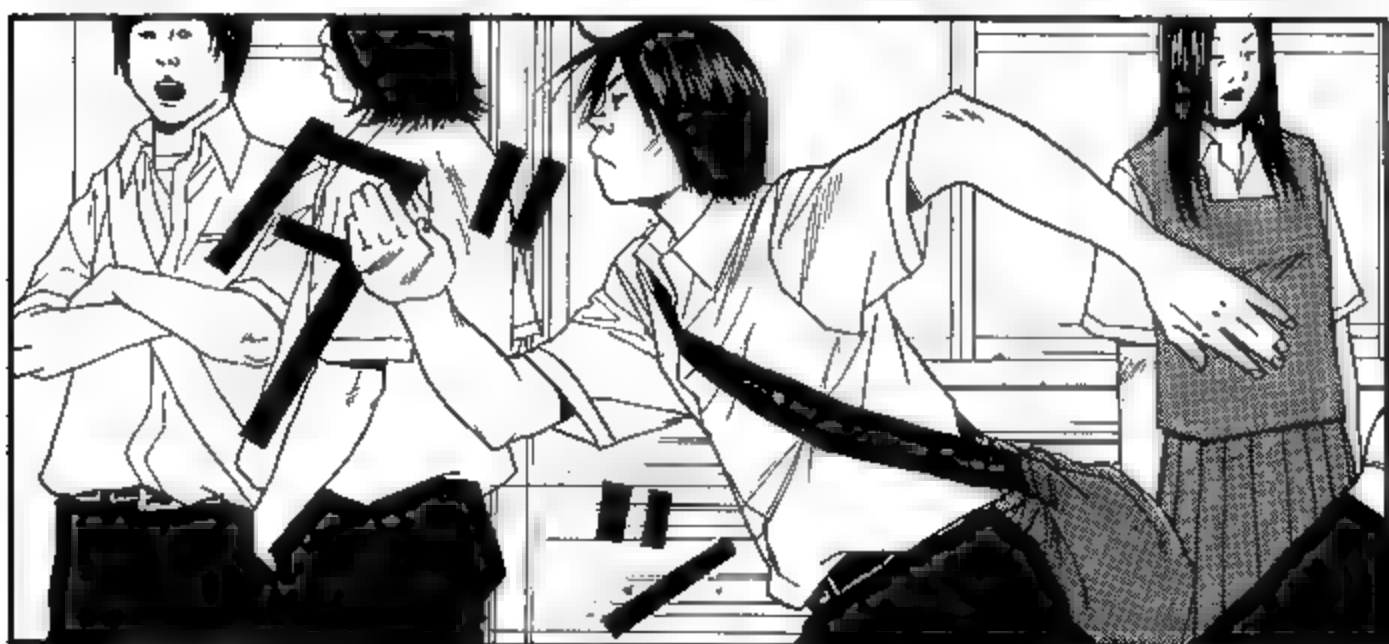
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AND I LOVE  
IT.

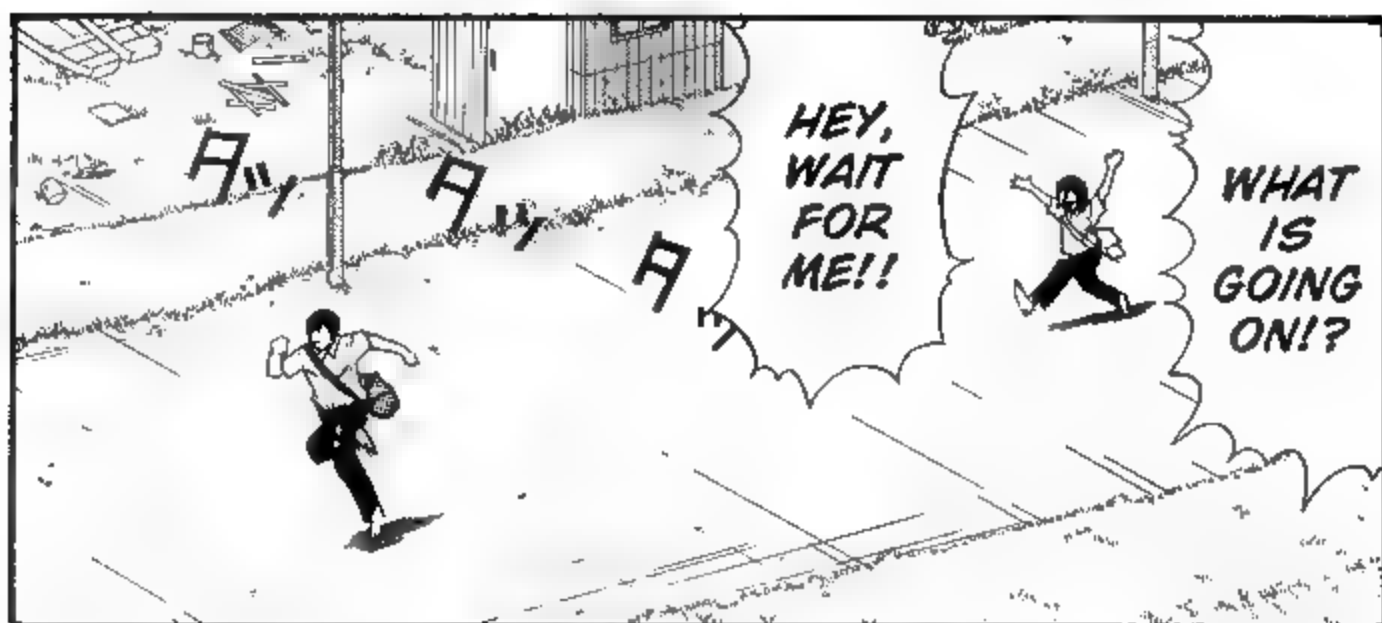


EVERY  
DAY IS A  
NEW ADVENTURE  
AND I LOVE  
IT.

EVERY  
DAY IS A  
NEW ADVENTURE  
AND I LOVE  
IT.









...? WHY WOULD YOU WANT TO STEAL THAT?

SHOZO... HELP ME CARRY IT INSIDE!

OK, THIS ONE LOOKS GOOD.



...WHAT... IT'S JUST A DRUM.

~pant~  
~pant~



ALL RIGHT !!



HEY, HEY, THIS IS SOME-BODY'S HOUSE, ISN'T IT ?

WHO CARES; IT'S BEEN ABANDONED FOR THE LAST 10 YEARS.



UHH... I DON'T WANT EITHER OF THEM ...

CLEANING THE DRUM OR FINDING THE BLOCKS ?

SHOZO, WHICH JOB DO YOU WANT ?



LAY OUT SOME CONCRETE BLOCKS .. AND THEN PLACE THE DRUM ON TOP!

OK, FIRST WE HAVE TO CLEAN THIS DRUM UP REAL GOOD...







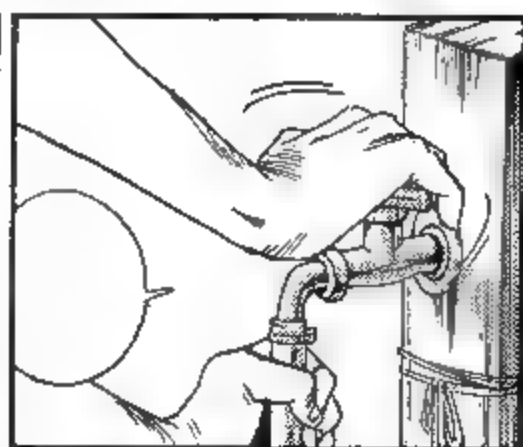


READY  
!!



WHAT...  
IT TOOK  
YOU THIS  
LONG TO  
FIGURE IT  
OUT?

I GET  
IT: IS  
THIS A  
BATH,  
SUMIDA  
I?



IT'S  
COMING,  
IT'S  
COMING!

GOOD.



NICE!  
YOU COULD  
WATCH  
THE  
STARS  
WHILE YOU  
BATHE  
AND  
STUFF!

ALL WE  
HAVE TO  
DO NOW  
IS PUT IN  
SOME  
GRATING,  
START  
THE FIRE  
AND HEAT  
UP THE  
WATER!

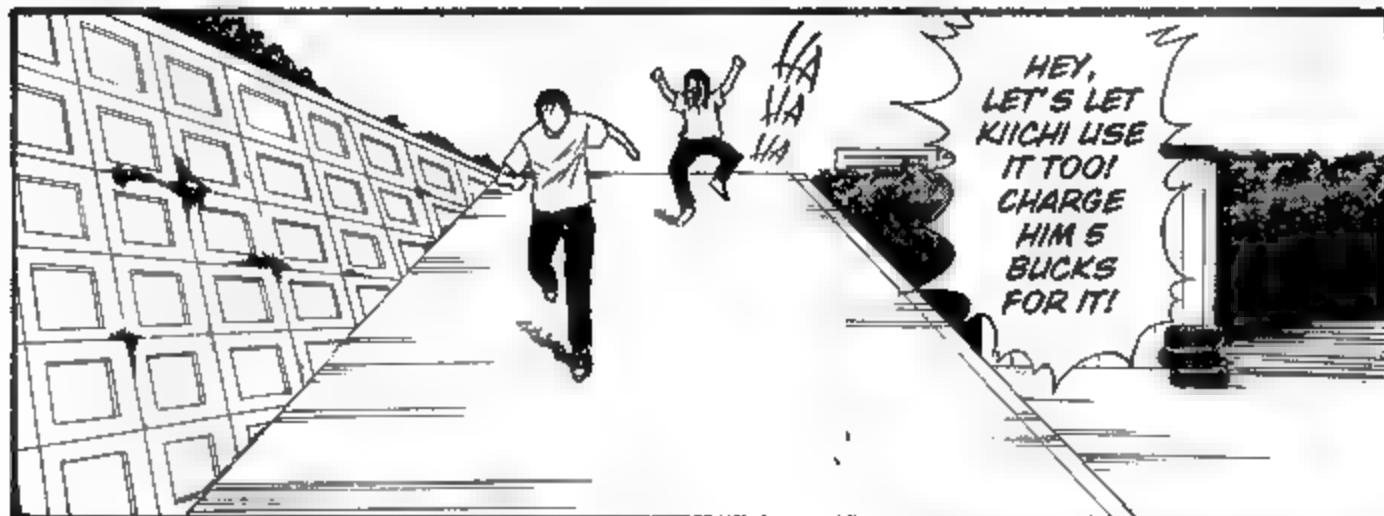


OH  
YEAH.  
GOOD  
PLAN.



I BET  
SHE'LL  
LOVE  
IT!!

HEY,  
IS YOUR  
MOM HOME?  
YOU SHOULD  
TELL HER  
ABOUT IT!



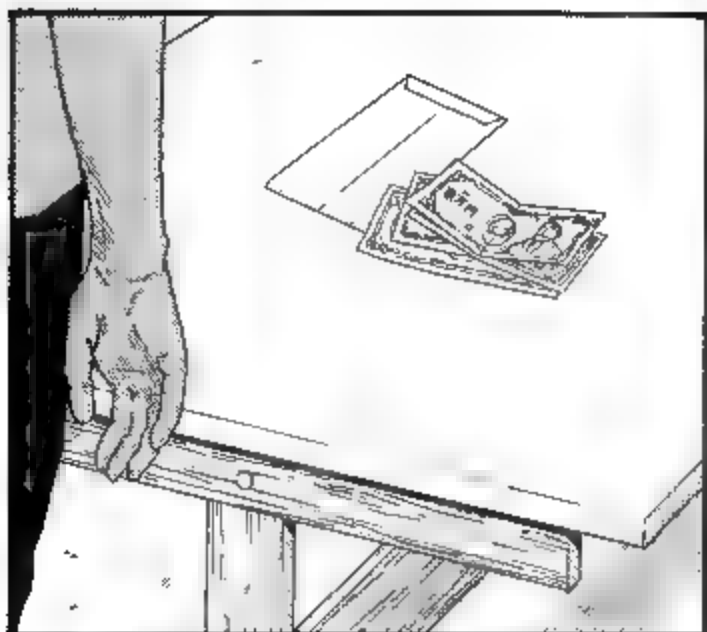
HEY,  
LET'S LET  
KIICHI USE  
IT TOO!  
CHARGE  
HIM 5  
BUCKS  
FOR IT!



HEY  
...









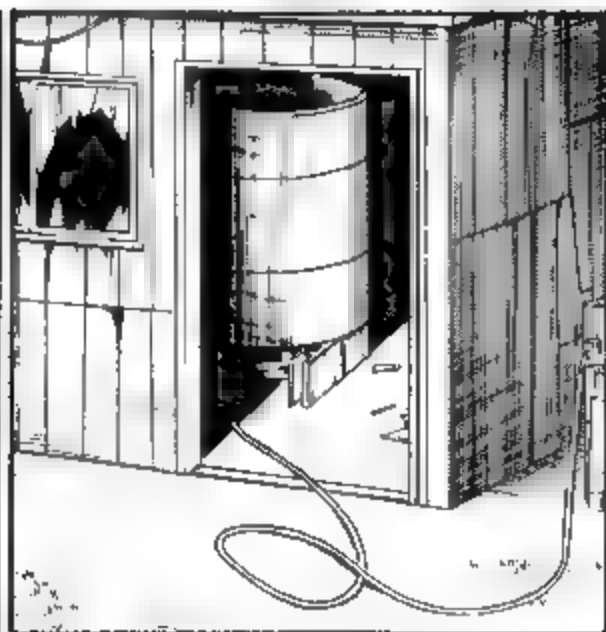
SHOZO...  
THAT  
BITCH RAN  
OFF...

HA  
HA  
HA  
HA



SHE  
TOOK OFF  
WITH THAT  
ASSHOLE

...





...  
WHAT'RE  
YOU  
GONNA  
DO NOW,  
SUMIDA  
...?



...THAT  
WAS  
JUST  
WRONG  
OF HER  
TO...

...I  
DON'T  
BELIEVE  
THIS...



IT'S  
NO BIG  
DEAL.

I'VE  
THOUGHT  
ABOUT  
SOMETHING  
LIKE THIS  
HAPPENING  
...FOR A  
LONG  
TIME...



THIS IS  
NOTHING

NOTHING,  
REALLY.



OH  
WELL...  
GUESS  
I'LL GO  
FOR A  
RUN...



I CAN'T  
GO TO  
SCHOOL  
ANY-  
MORE.

...MAN  
...



AS  
LONG AS  
YOU'RE  
A GOOD  
PERSON  
?  
MURDER  
IS  
MURDER.

OH...SO  
YOU'RE  
SAYING  
THAT  
KILLING  
IN THE  
NAME OF  
JUSTICE  
IS FINE,





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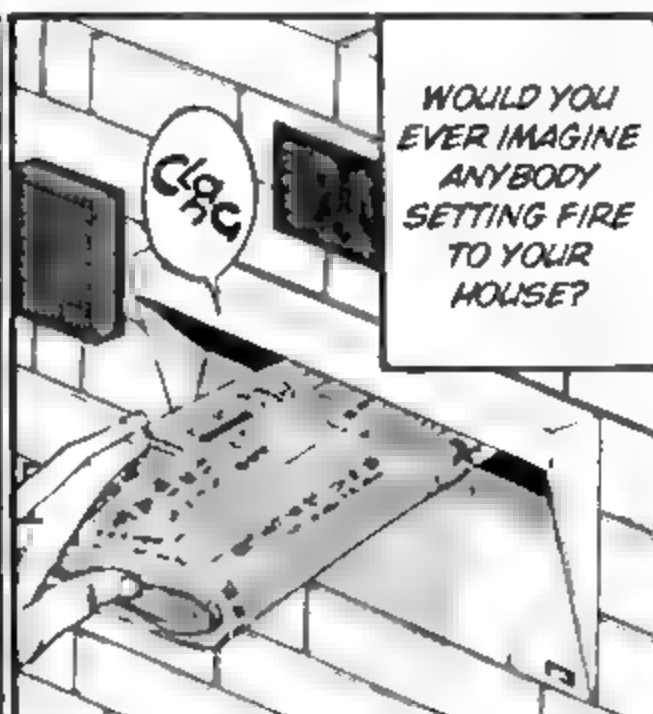




...DO YOU  
EVER THINK  
THAT THE  
PLANE YOU'RE  
ON WILL  
CRASH?



OR BEING  
ATTACKED BY  
A RANDOM  
PERSON ON  
THE STREET?



WOULD YOU  
EVER IMAGINE  
ANYBODY  
SETTING FIRE  
TO YOUR  
HOUSE?



OR  
WINNING  
THE  
LOTTERY  
?

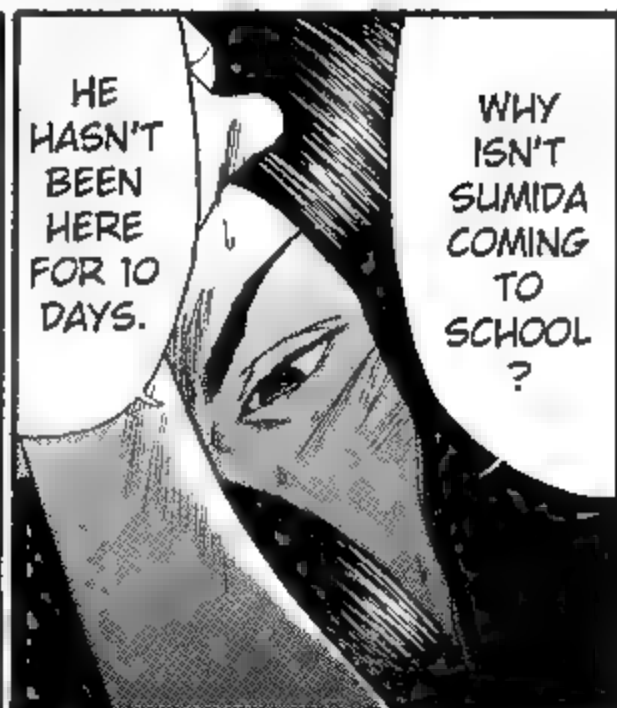
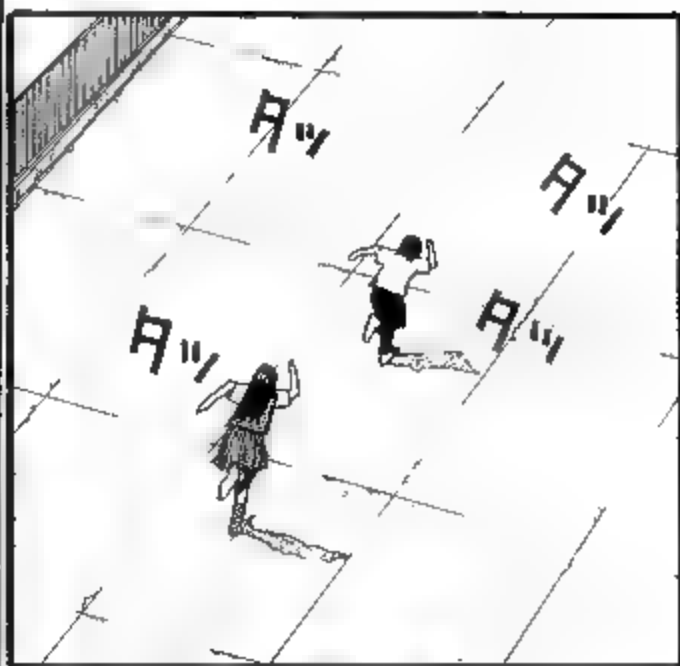
WOULD YOU  
EVER THINK  
THAT YOU  
MIGHT BE  
ABANDONED  
BY PARENTS  
?

**FUCK!!  
FUCK!!**

**FUCK!**

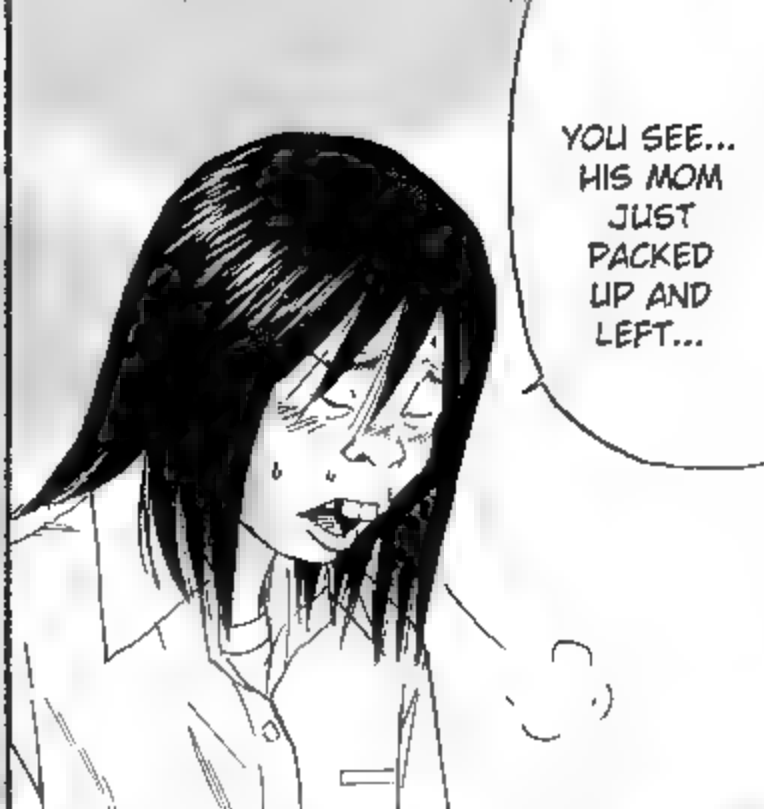




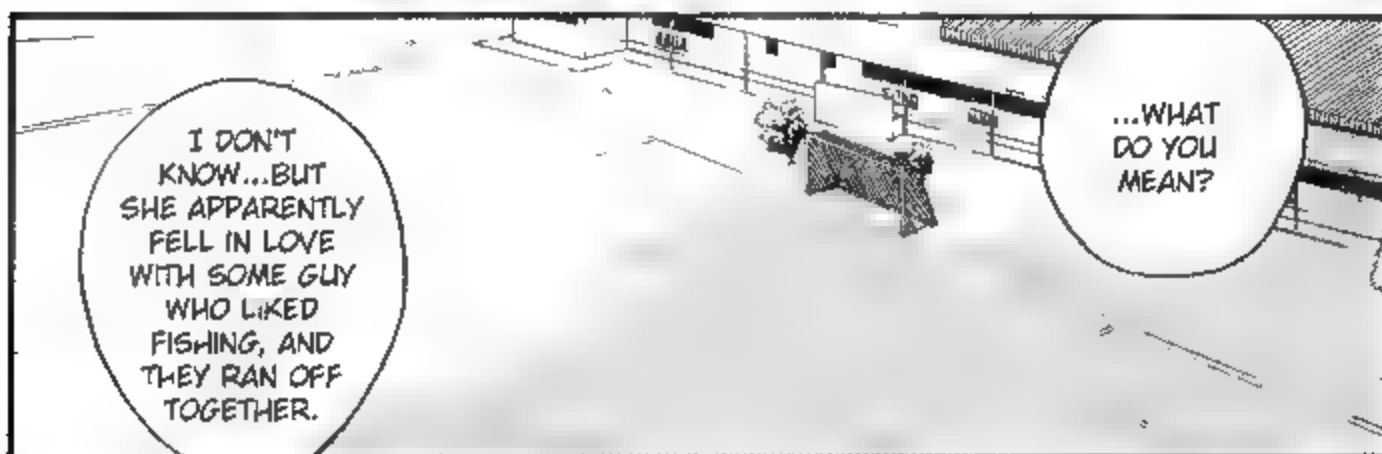




WHAT  
?

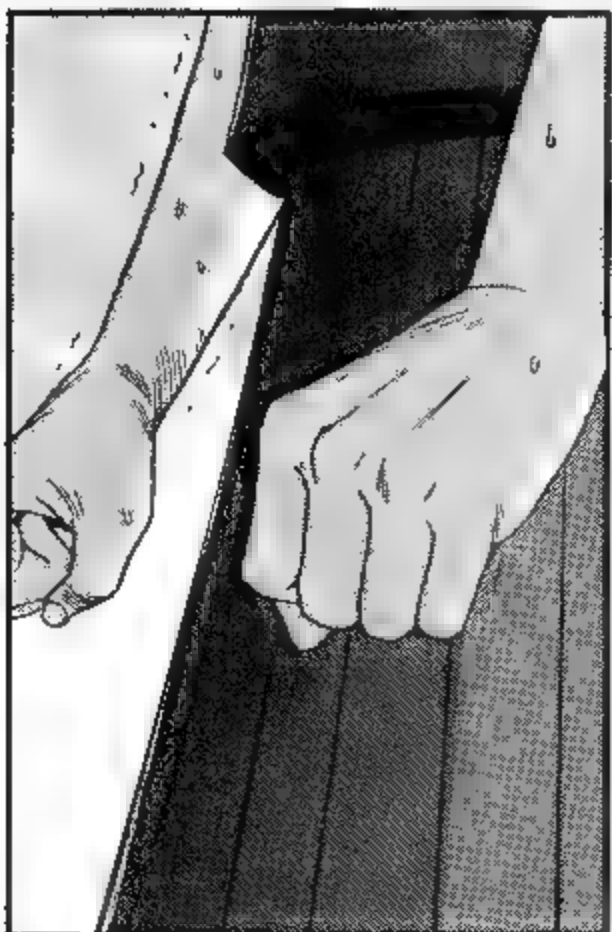


YOU SEE...  
HIS MOM  
JUST  
PACKED  
UP AND  
LEFT...



I DON'T  
KNOW...BUT  
SHE APPARENTLY  
FELL IN LOVE  
WITH SOME GUY  
WHO LIKED  
FISHING, AND  
THEY RAN OFF  
TOGETHER.

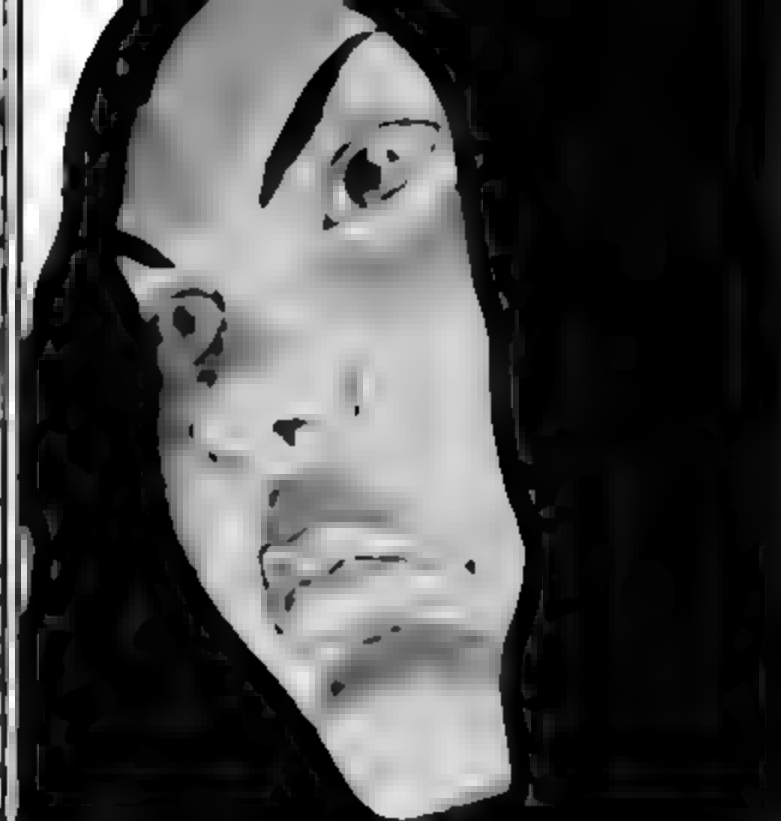
...WHAT  
DO YOU  
MEAN?



HE'S TOO  
BUSY TO  
COME TO  
SCHOOL.

SO RIGHT  
NOW HE'S  
DELIVERING  
PAPERS, AND  
RUNNING  
THE BOAT  
SHOP...







YOU'RE NOT NORMAL ANY-MORE.



THAT'S  
NOT  
NORMAL.

YOU WERE  
ABANDONED BY  
YOUR PARENTS,  
AND NOW YOU  
CAN'T GO TO  
SCHOOL, AND  
YOU'RE  
SPENDING THE  
WHOLE DAY  
WORKING...



I  
PERSONALLY  
THINK THAT  
I'M STILL  
BORDERLINE  
NORMAL.

m  
m  
m  
h  
h

...DUNNO  
...BUT  
THERE'S  
A FAIR  
NUMBER OF  
PEOPLE IN  
MY SITUA-  
TION, AREN'T  
THERE?



OF  
COURSE  
I DO  
!!

y  
a  
w  
h

YOU  
THINK  
SO?



**W H O A A A A !!**



**SU-  
MI-  
DA!**



**G U H H H !!**



**BUCK  
UP,  
MAN  
!!**

**B  
U  
C  
K  
U  
P  
!!**





.. 325  
BUCKS  
...

LET'S  
SEE...  
100  
200..  
300 ..



.. UGGH ..  
NOTHING  
BUT \$10  
BILLS



MAN.  
THIS IS  
ALL I GET  
FROM 4  
WALLETS  
?





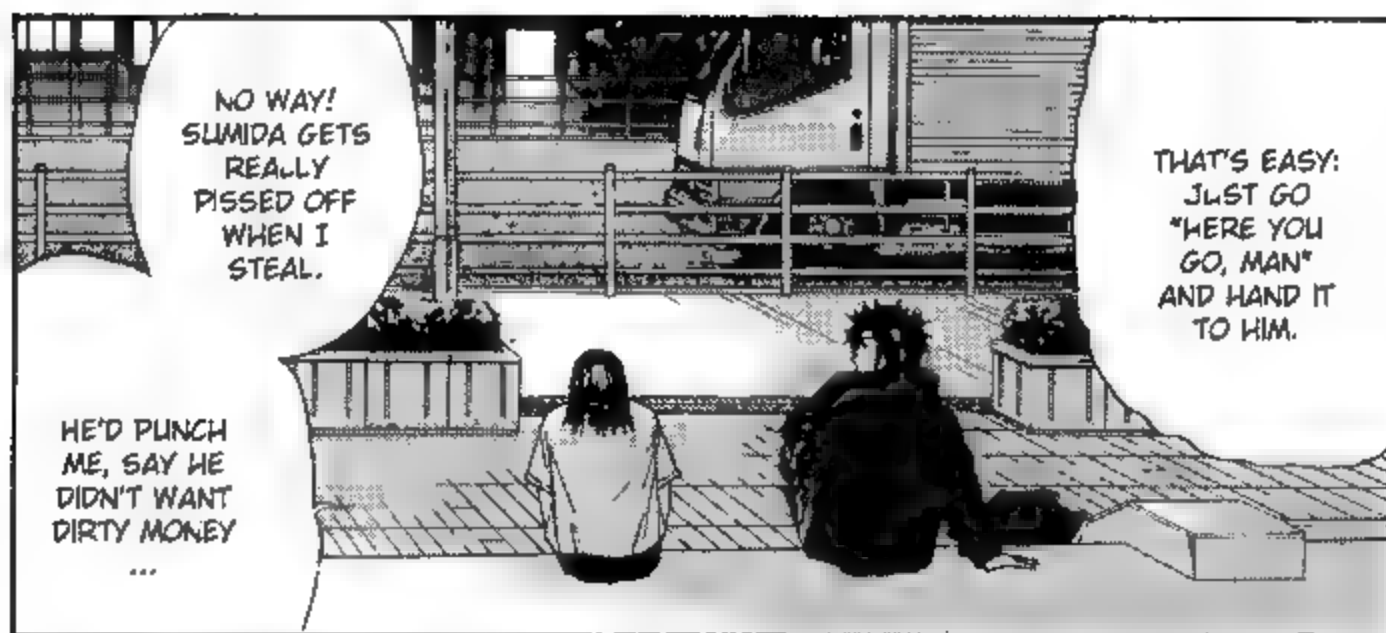
WHAT A  
SNEAKY  
KID!!

I SAW  
THE  
WHOLE  
THING,  
YOU  
BASTARD  
!



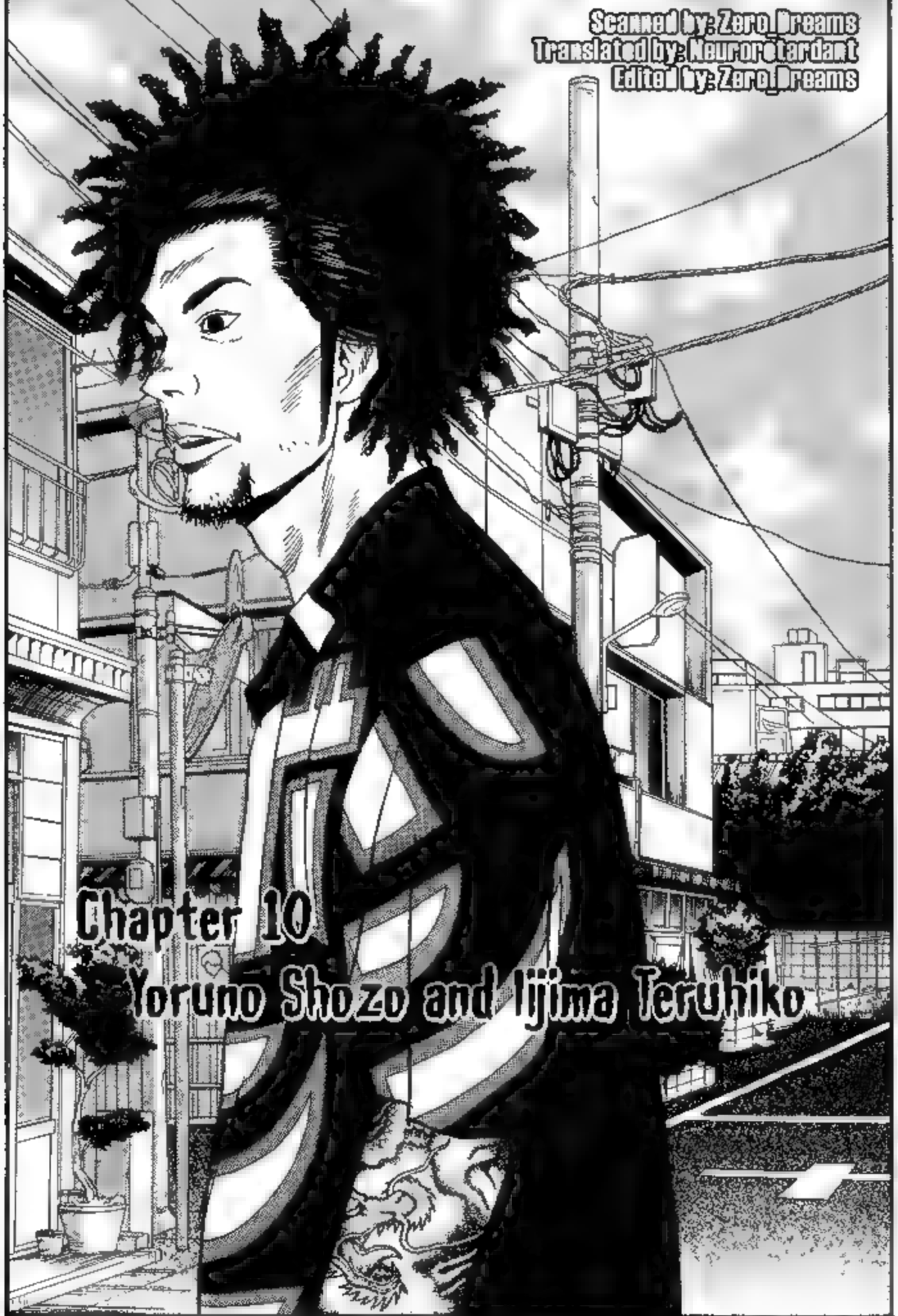








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## Chapter 10

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YOU'RE  
LATE.



HELLO.

THIS IS  
MY GIRL-  
FRIEND,  
MIKI! SHE'S  
GOT SOME  
PRETTY  
FINE TITS!



WHH...  
HI...

HEY,  
THIS IS  
MY BEST  
FRIEND,  
YORINO  
SHOZO.



NO, HE  
DIDN'T.

DID  
HIRO  
COME  
BY?

HEY,  
WHO'S  
THIS  
VOICE  
MESSAGE  
FROM?

YOUR  
MOM; YOU  
SHOULD  
CALL HER.



**HAHA  
HA,  
HEY!**

**MI  
KII  
III  
!!**



...AHH  
...

フ、フ、フ

...MMM...  
MMM...

HEY...  
WHAT...  
TERU  
!?



MMM  
...



**SHUT  
UP AND  
TAKE  
YOUR  
CLOTHES  
OFF!!**

**HEY,  
QUIT  
IT!**





**WHAT  
THE  
HELL  
!?  
HEY,  
QUIT  
IT!!**

**MIKI,  
MOVE  
YOUR  
HAND  
OUT OF  
THE  
WAY.**



**LET  
GO  
OF  
ME  
!!**



**I SAID,  
MOVE  
YOUR  
HAND.**



**I  
SAID  
MOVE  
IT!!**



AND HEY,  
DON'T JUST  
STAND  
THERE!  
TAKE YOUR  
CLOTHES  
OFF, TOO  
!!



R,  
RIGHT  
!!

DO  
IT  
!!



HUH  
?



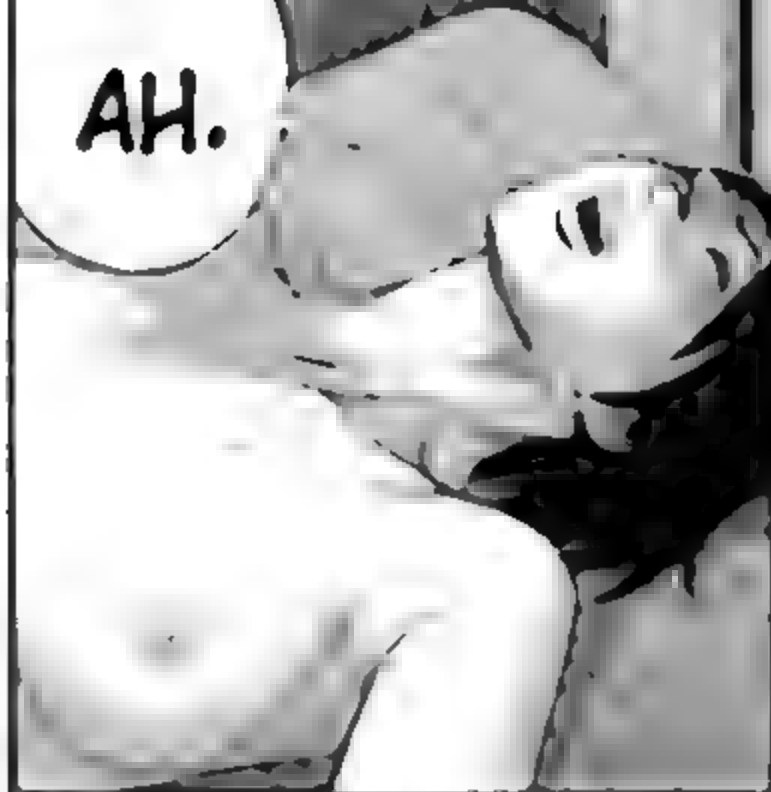
HE'S  
SERIOUSLY  
A GOOD  
GUY...HE'S  
MY BEST  
FRIEND...  
PLEASE  
...?



...MIKI,  
PLEASE...  
DO ME  
A FAVOR,  
AND MAKE  
HIM INTO  
A MAN...



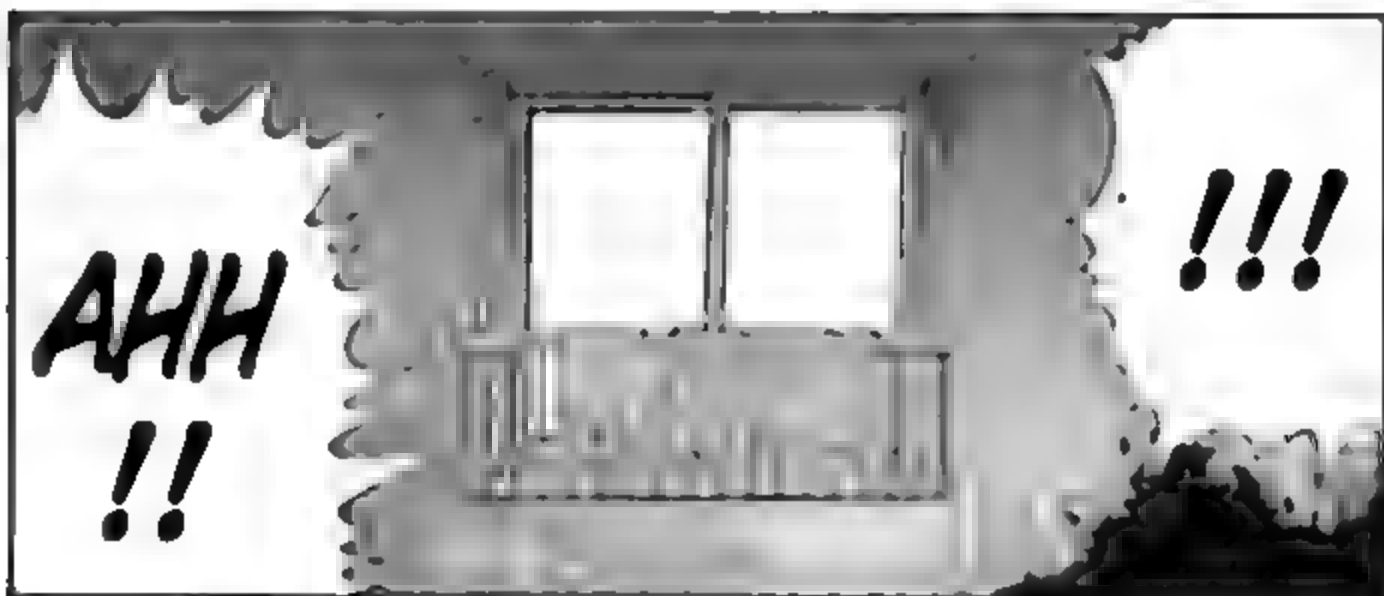




AH.



OK,  
YOURS!  
NOW!!



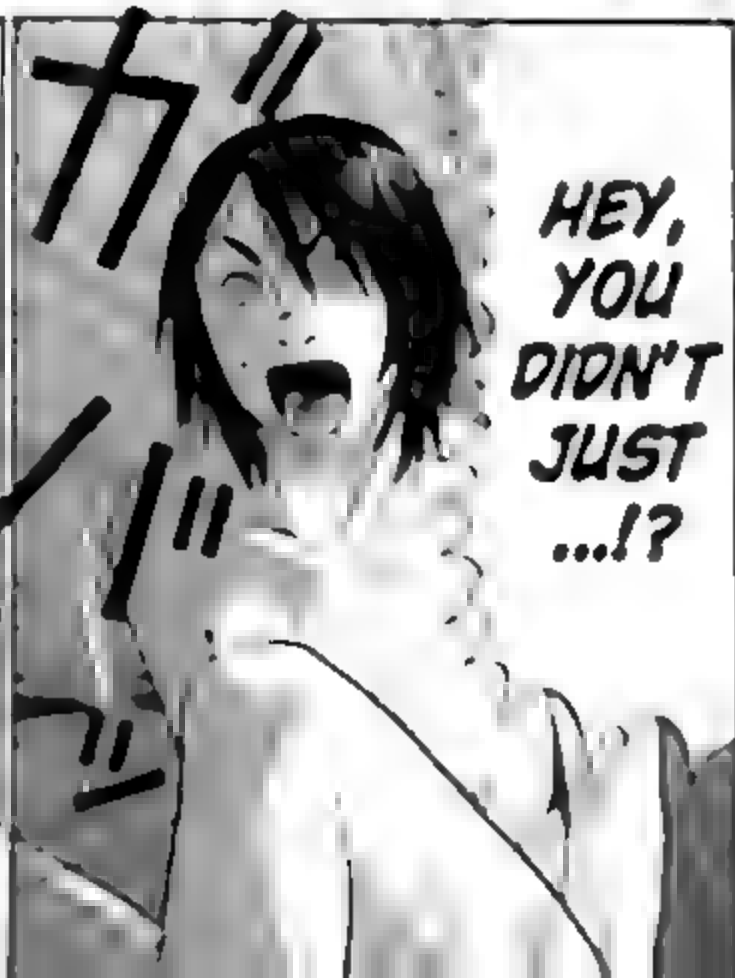
AHH  
!!

!!!



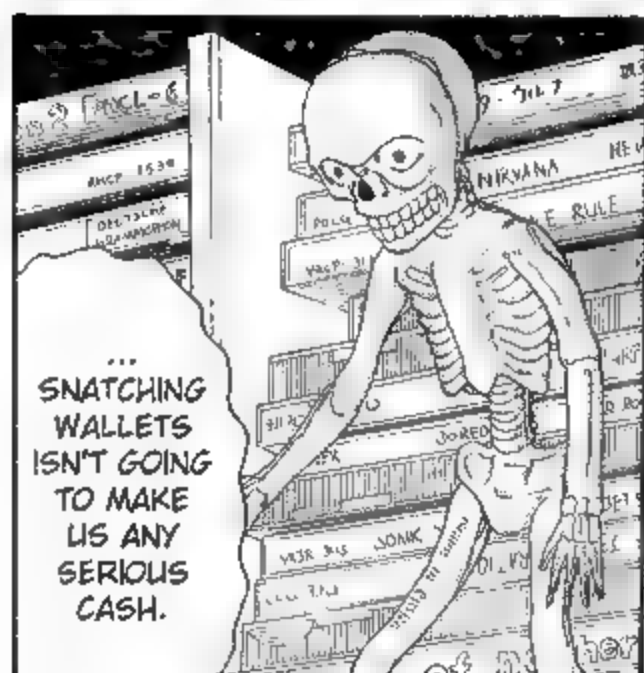
WHAT'S  
WRONG  
WITH  
YOU!?

WHAT  
THE FUCK  
DO YOU  
THINK  
YOU'RE  
DOING!?  
YOU  
LITTLE  
TWIT  
!!



HEY,  
YOU  
DIDN'T  
JUST  
...!?







A HUN-  
DRED  
GRAND  
!?



IN A  
PLACE  
NOT FAR  
FROM  
HERE.

IT'S  
TRUE...YOU  
CAN FIND  
THAT SORT  
OF INSANE  
CASH JUST  
SITTING  
THERE...



THE OWNER  
OF THE  
PACHINKO  
PARLOR I  
FREQUENT...  
HAS 200  
GRAND  
STASHED  
AWAY IN HIS  
CLOSET...

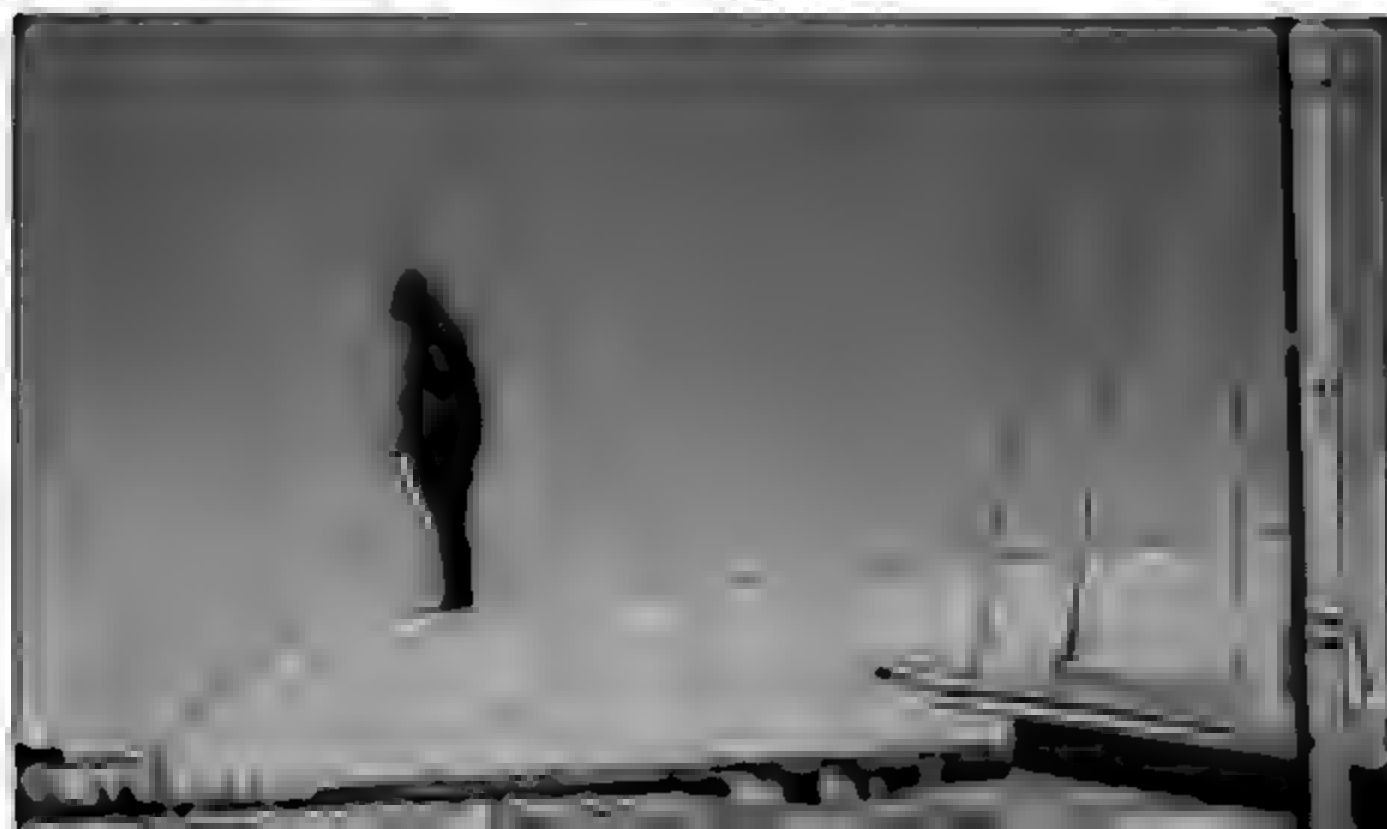
ALL IN  
CASH, OF  
COURSE.

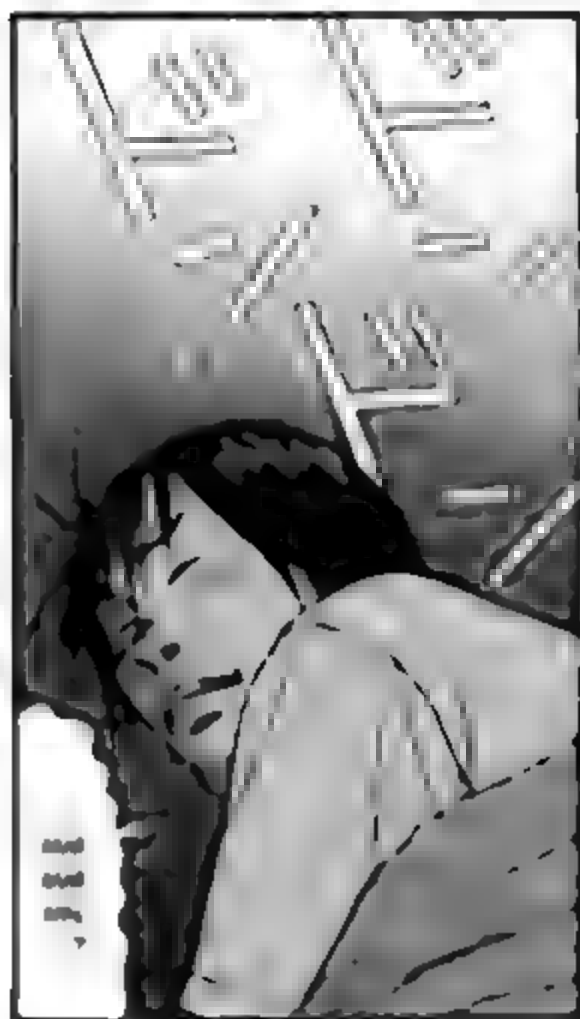
\*The obligation to (1) receive an education.  
(2) pay taxes, and (3) work.















...  
WELL...  
YEAH, I  
GUESS  
...



WE'RE  
BEST  
FRIENDS,  
RIGHT  
?

HUH  
?



...WHAT'S  
WRONG  
WITH YOU  
?

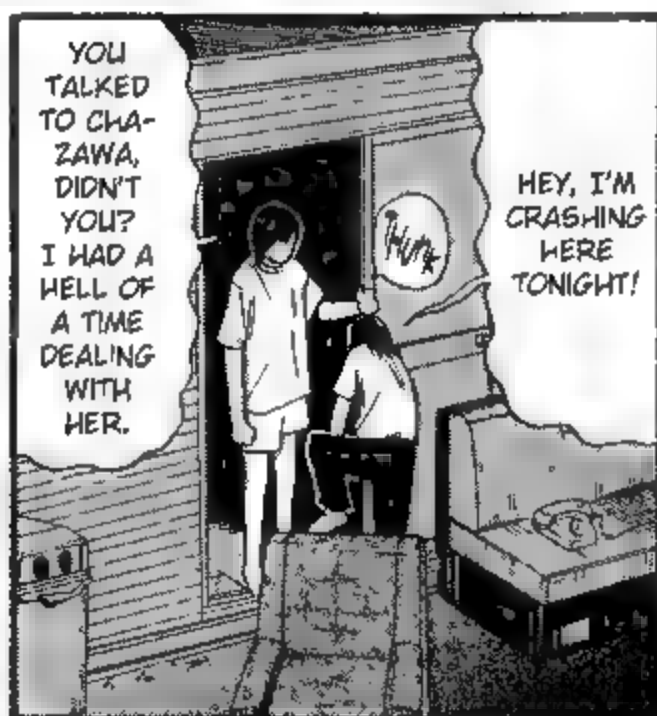
HEEE  
HEHE  
HEHE  
HEHE  
HE.



NO  
?

HEY  
SLIMIDA,  
HAVE  
YOU  
EVER  
HAD SEX  
?

HEEE  
HEHE  
HEHE  
HE.



YOU  
TALKED  
TO CHA-  
ZAWA,  
DIDN'T  
YOU?  
I HAD A  
HELL OF  
A TIME  
DEALING  
WITH  
HER.

HEY, I'M  
CRASHING  
HERE  
TONIGHT!

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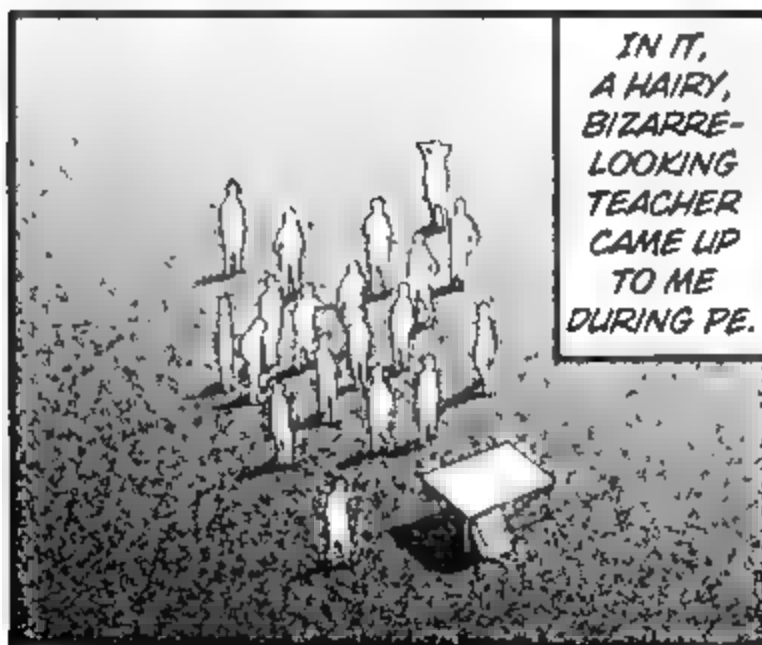
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**Chapter 11**

**He's Really Just A Coward**





IN IT,  
A HAIRY,  
BIZARRE-  
LOOKING  
TEACHER  
CAME UP  
TO ME  
DURING PE.



I HAD A  
STRANGE  
DREAM  
LAST  
NIGHT.



GO GRAB  
THE SOCCER  
BALLS. YOU  
HAVE 10  
MINUTES.

YES,  
SIR.

SUMIDA,  
WE'RE  
PLAYING  
SOCCER  
TODAY.

...HE  
SAID TO  
ME...



SHH  
HH.

FOR  
SOME  
REASON,  
CHAZAWA  
WAS  
THERE...

AND WHEN  
I WENT TO  
THE STORAGE  
ROOM TO  
GRAB THEM  
...



HOW  
MUCH  
TIME DO  
YOU  
HAVE?



NOTHING  
I JUST  
CAME TO  
GRAB THE  
SOCCER  
BALLS



10  
MINU-  
TES.

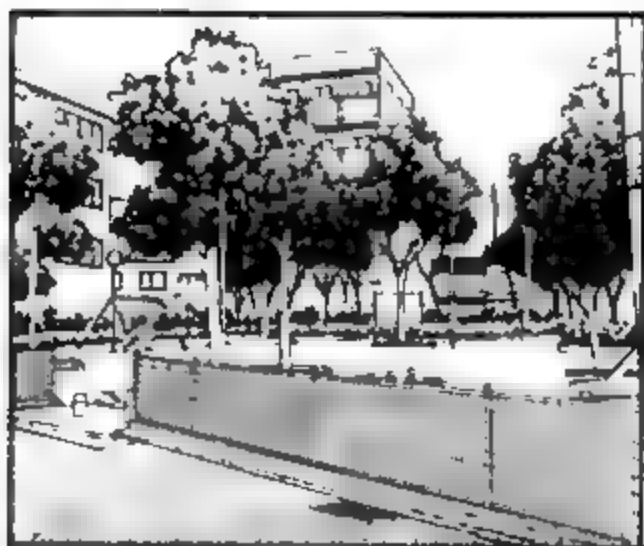


WHAT'S  
UP,  
SLIMIDA  
?

PERHAPS  
BECAUSE  
I DIDN'T  
HAVE ANY  
EXPERIENCE,  
MY DREAM  
ENDED  
BEFORE I  
GOT TO THE  
REALLY GOOD  
PARTS...BUT  
I'M PRETTY  
SURE THAT  
THAT TACTILE  
SENSATION  
WAS VERY  
CLOSE TO THE  
REAL THING.



AND THEN,  
WITHOUT ANY  
HESITATION  
CHAZAWA AND  
I STARTED  
MAKING OUT.





...  
HELLO  
...

HEY  
HEY!



WANDA  
GO  
GRAB  
SOME-  
THING  
?

HEY  
HAVE  
YOU  
EATEN  
YET?



SURE



ACTUALLY,  
I'M NOT  
MAKING  
ANY REAL  
MONEY.

MAN YOU  
WORK A LOT...  
WHAT'RE YOU  
GOING TO DO  
WITH ALL THAT  
MONEY YOU'RE  
MAKING?

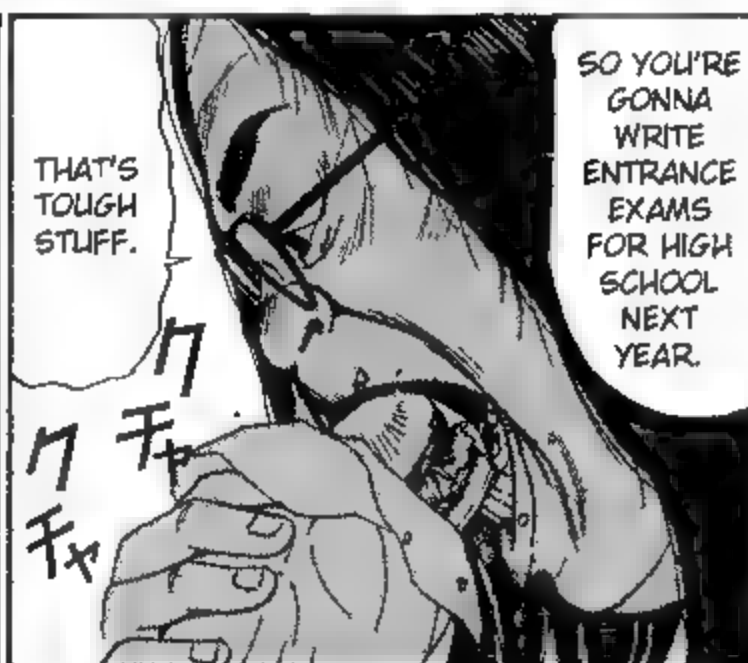


SUMIDA  
YOU'RE IN  
JUNIOR  
HIGH  
RIGHT?

YEAH...  
I'M IN  
MY  
THIRD  
YEAR.



**Iida  
Satoshi  
(37)  
Single**



THAT'S  
TOUGH  
STUFF.

SO YOU'RE  
GONNA  
WRITE  
ENTRANCE  
EXAMS  
FOR HIGH  
SCHOOL  
NEXT  
YEAR.



THAT'S  
WHY YOU  
CAN'T  
STOP  
PLAYING

THEY'VE  
GOT A  
REALLY  
GOOD  
SYSTEM  
SET UP.

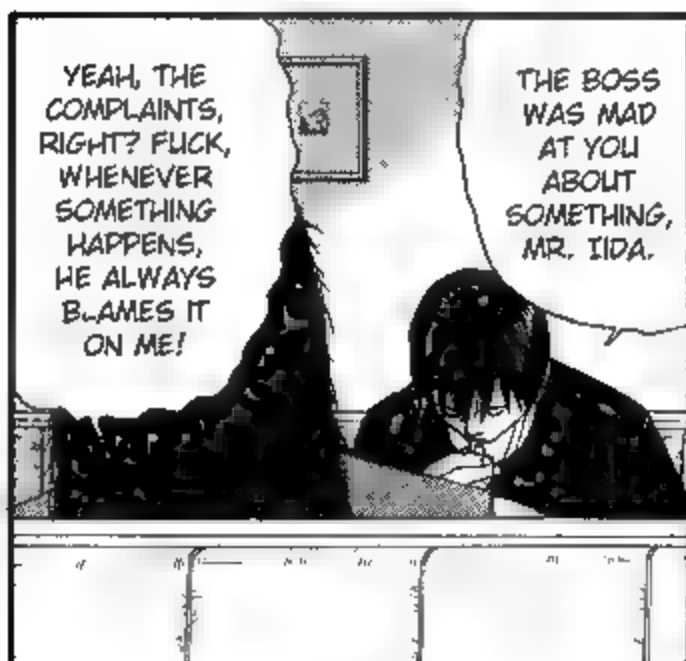
FIL-  
THY



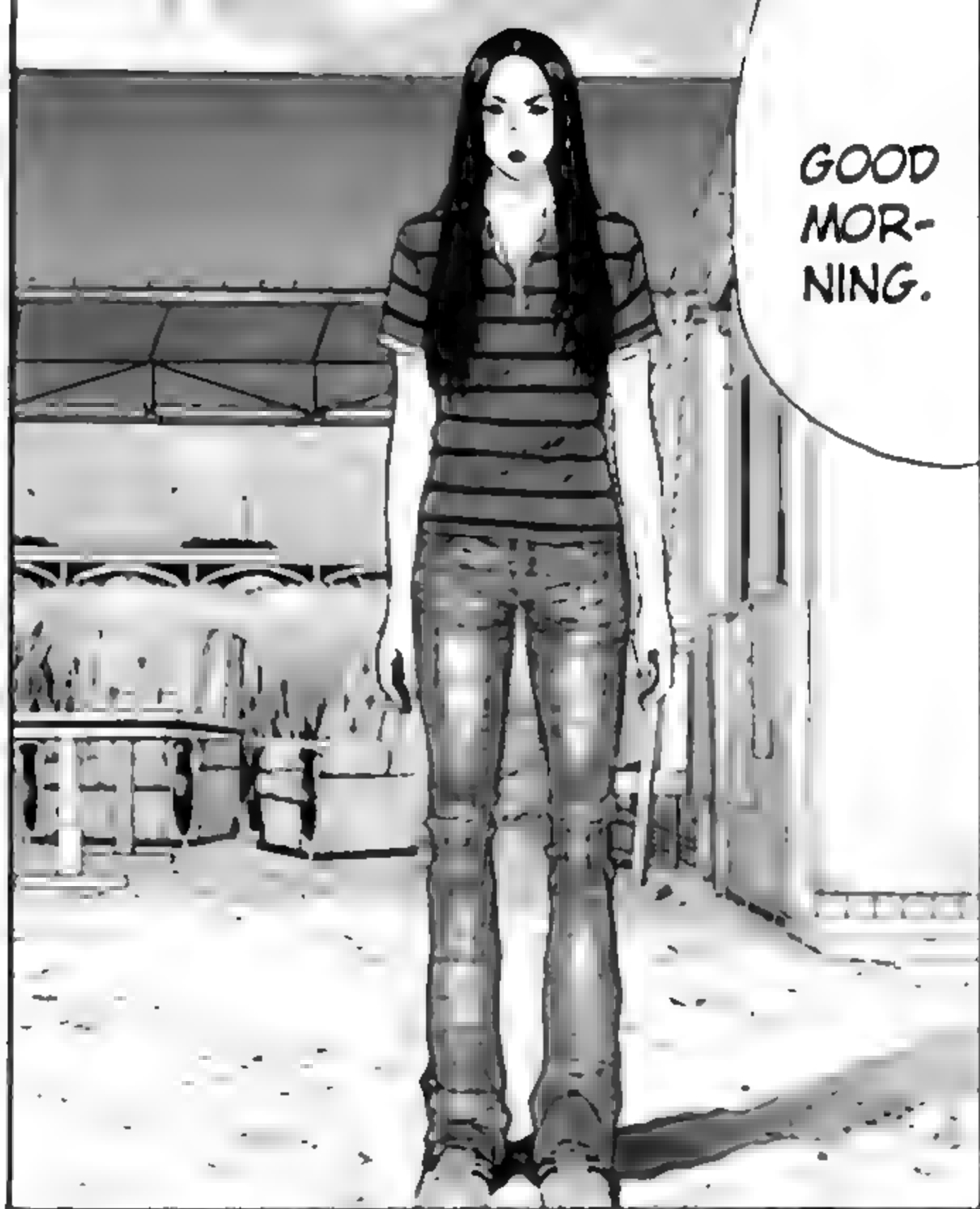
I GOT 22 JACKPOTS IN A ROW!!  
MAN I THOUGHT THE MACHINE WAS BROKEN OR SOMETHING.

OH YEAH,  
YESTERDAY  
I WON  
\$1600 AT  
PACHINKO!  
\$1600!!

HE'S  
STU-  
PID...



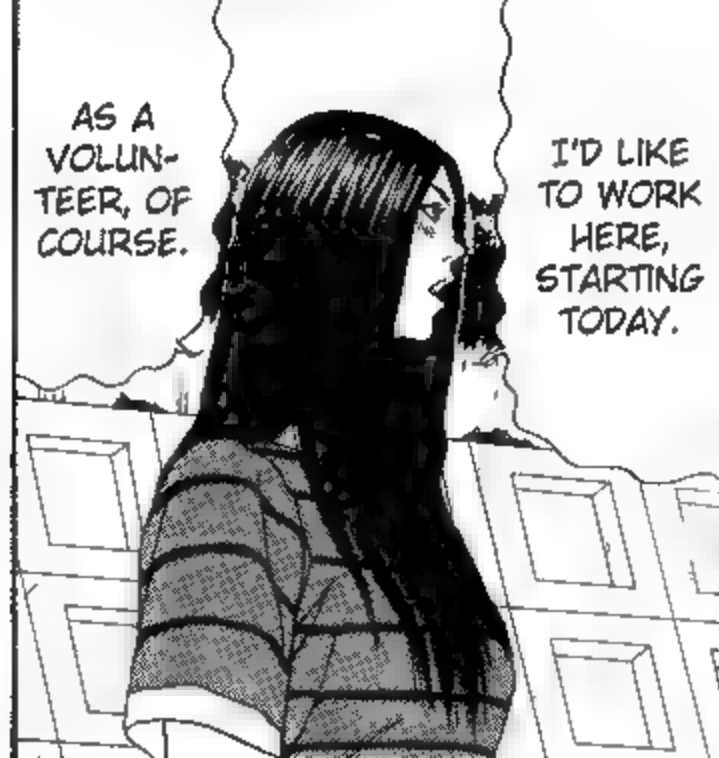




GOOD  
MOR-  
NING.



HUH  
?



AS A VOLUNTEER, OF COURSE.

I'D LIKE TO WORK HERE, STARTING TODAY.



YOU'RE REALLY OUT OF THE LOOP, AREN'T YOU... SUMMER VACATION STARTED TODAY.

...WHAT... ARE YOU DOING HERE? SHOULDN'T YOU BE AT SCHOOL?



SCREW OFF!! IT'S NONE OF YOUR BUSINESS !!

IT WOULD REALLY HELP YOU OUT, WOULDN'T IT? PLEASE JUST ACCEPT THE OFFER.

WHAT !?

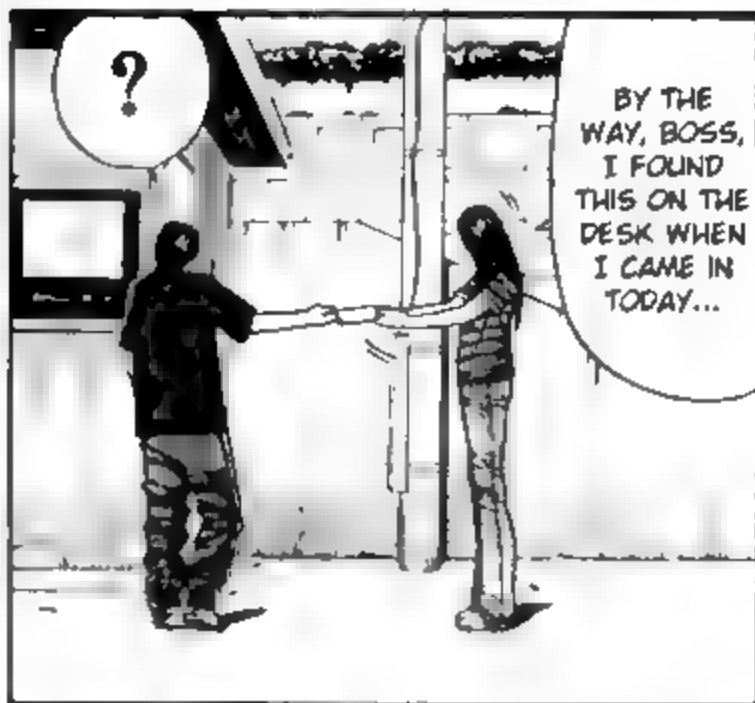


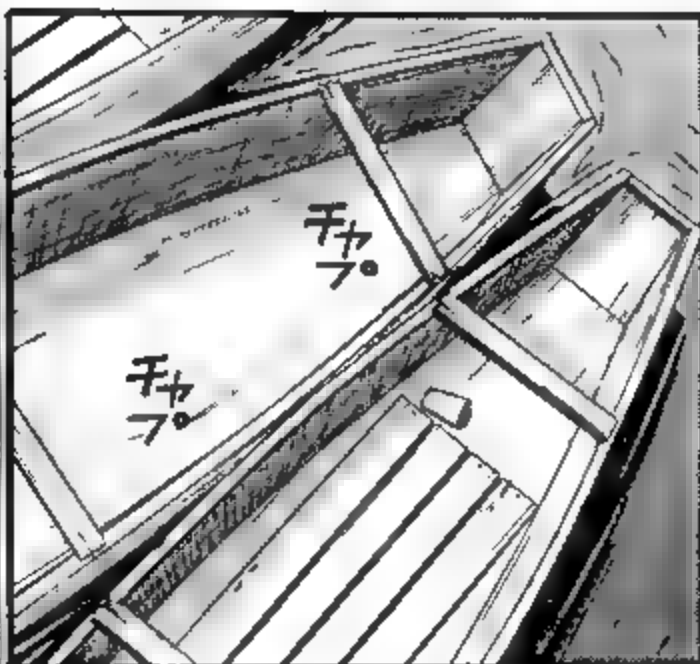
IS THAT OK? I BET IT WOULD BE A PAIN IN THE ASS OF UNIMAGINABLE MAGNITUDE.



I'LL CALL THE MEDIA TOO; ASK THEM TO MAKE A DOCUMENTARY ON A POOR HARD-LUCK JUNIOR HIGH STUDENT.

FINE, THEN I'M GOING TO TELL THE TEACHERS AND THE POLICE THAT YOU'RE LIVING WITHOUT YOUR PARENTS, SUMIDA.





...YOU AREN'T  
GETTING ANY  
CUSTOMERS,  
EVEN THOUGH  
IT'S SUMMER  
VACATION  
SEASON...

IS IT  
BECAUSE  
IT'S STILL  
EARLY IN  
THE  
MORNING  
?



...WE'RE  
LIKE 2  
PEOPLE  
STRANDED  
ON A  
DESERTED  
ISLAND,  
SITTING  
HERE LIKE  
THIS.



I MEAN, DON'T  
BLAME ME IF  
YOU FAIL YOUR  
EXAMS BECAUSE  
YOU WASTED  
YOUR ENTIRE  
SUMMER IN A  
PLACE LIKE  
THIS...

...IF YOU  
HAVE TIME  
TO FEEL SORRY  
FOR ME, WHY  
DON'T YOU  
GO MEMORIZE  
SOME ENGLISH  
VOCABULARY  
OR SOME-  
THING?

BUT  
REALLY,  
I DON'T  
NEED THIS.  
I DON'T  
WANT IT.

CHAZAWA...  
I APPRECI-  
ATE YOUR  
BEING CON-  
CERNED

...

BUT LATELY,  
I'M STARTING  
TO THINK THAT  
YOU'RE JUST  
A TIGHT-ASSED  
COWARD...  
WHICH ONE  
DO YOU THINK  
YOU ARE?

...SUMIDA...  
I USED TO  
THINK THAT  
YOU WERE A  
REALLY SEN-  
SITIVE GUY,  
FRAGILE LIKE  
GLASS AND  
WHATNOT...

I'M  
STUDYING;  
NO  
WORRIES  
THERE.

...HEY,  
ARE YOU  
LISTEN-  
ING TO  
WHAT  
I'M  
SAYING  
?

I CAN'T  
EVEN  
TAKE  
A SHIT  
ANY-  
MORE.

THE  
TIGHT-  
ASS...

...I'M  
PRETTY  
SURE  
CHAZAWA  
LIKES ME.



IF I MAKE A  
MOVE ON HER,  
WOULDN'T THE  
SAME THINGS  
THAT HAPPENED  
IN MY DREAM  
ALSO HAPPEN  
HERE?



TRYING  
TO FIGURE  
OUT HOW  
TO MAKE  
HE LEAVE  
...

OH, HE'S  
THINKING,  
HE'S  
THINKING  
...



YOU'RE  
NUTS!  
GET A  
GRIP!

NO, NO!  
THAT WAS  
JUST A  
DREAM!



I WANT  
TO SEE  
YOU  
SHIT.



...I...

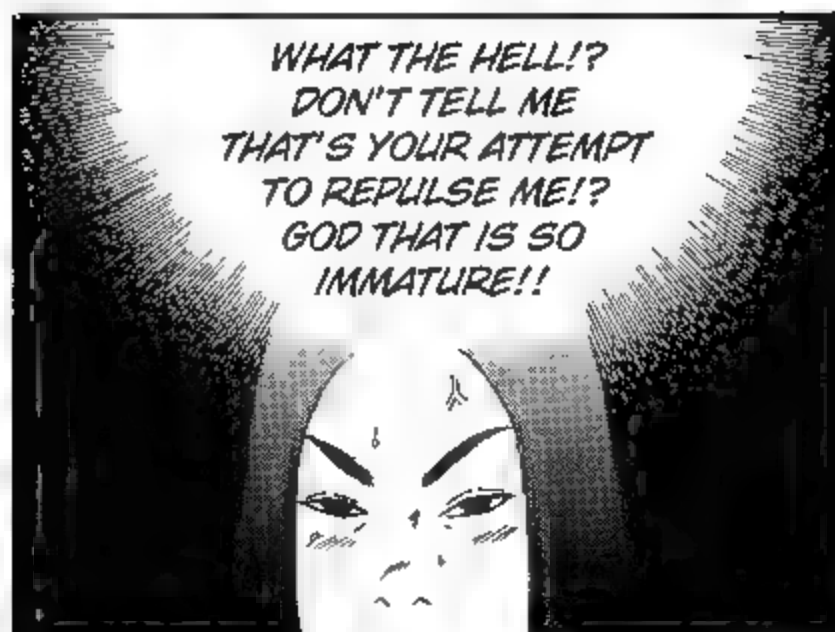




I LOVE  
GOLDEN  
SHO-  
WERS.

...I'M  
ACTU-  
ALLY  
REALLY  
INTO  
SCAT.

WHAT...  
THE FUCK  
AM I  
SAYING  
!?



WHAT THE HELL!?  
DON'T TELL ME  
THAT'S YOUR ATTEMPT  
TO REPULSE ME!?  
GOD THAT IS SO  
IMMATURE!!



SO CAN  
YOU TAKE  
A SHIT  
WHILE I  
WATCH?



GUHHH...  
ENOUGH  
ALREADY!

THEN  
SHOW  
ME  
YOUR  
PEE!



...I CAN'T  
DO IT  
RIGHT  
NOW...

...I CAN  
PEE  
THOUGH  
...





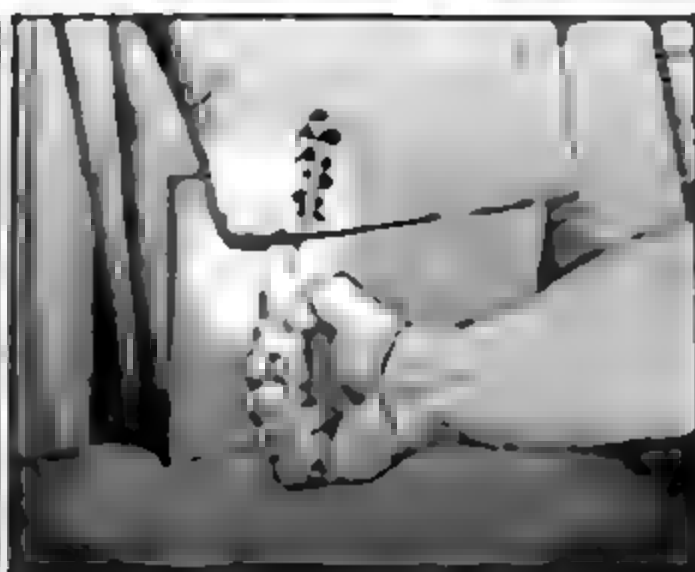
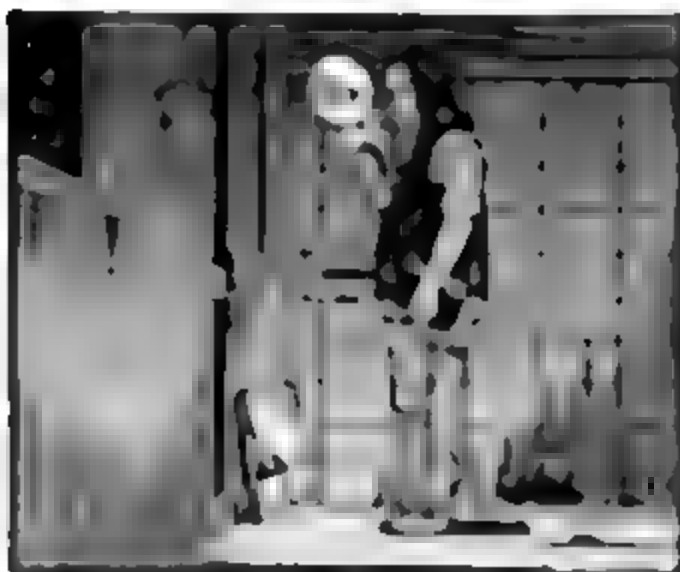
WHY  
EXCUSE  
ME

...ALL I  
SAID...WAS  
THAT I  
WANTED TO  
DROP BY  
FOR A BIT

...DO YOU  
LIKE BEING  
ALONE THAT  
MUCH?  
OR DO YOU  
JUST HATE  
ME?







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ピンポン  
ギャグ♡

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何? 人生って

ド不幸兄弟  
うっきウキ♡



ハッでは  
バイクリン  
やっぽ♡

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●カビの生えそうなつまらな〜い日々から脱却した〜い。でも、できな〜い。バイクに乗ろう、そうしよう。で、それからどーする!?

大 好 評 発 売 中 で す



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